THE WEATHER
The indications are that there will be rain, followed by fair tonight. Friday, fair; fresh to brisk northeast to north winds.

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VERDICT OF $4995

Jury Out All Night In Brunnelle Case

One of the Largest Verdicts Since the Celebrated Crane-Riley Case—Interesting Suit Against Boston & Northern On Short List

The jury in the case of Brunnelle vs. the Lowell Electric Light Co. this morning returned a verdict of $4995 for the plaintiff after a continuous session in their apartments of 17 hours and 15 minutes.

The jury retired at noon yesterday and sat up all night on the case. They arrived at their verdict just 15 minutes before the opening of this morning's session.

When court opened the jury announced that they were ready to report and they filed in a few moments later and announced their verdict.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles who was custodian of the jury, has been in poor health for some time and his all-night vigil told on him this morning.

The verdict of $4995 was generally discussed in and about the court room as it was about the largest awarded in a Lowell session since the celebrated case of Crane vs. Riley, when a verdict of $8000 was returned. In both cases John J. Hogan, Esq., was the counsel for the plaintiff.

During the progress of the Brunnelle case, Mr. Bent for the defendant, saved several exceptions and the case will now probably go to the supreme court.

A case in the short list which promises to be equally as interesting as the Brunnelle case is that of McKiernan vs. the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co., in which a live wire across the railroad track figures. In this case also, John J. Hogan appears for the plaintiff and speaking of it, Mr. Hogan said: "The knowledge of electricity which I acquired through the expert testimony in the Brunnelle case will come in very nicely in the trial of the McKiernan case, in which the deadly fluid figures once more." Lawyer Hurlburt of Lynn will appear for the defence in the McKiernan case.

The case of I. B. Newcomb vs. Edward M. Tucke, an action of contract with the ad damnum $550, went to trial this morning. The plaintiff is a stock broker and claims that the defendant owes him for stock bought and sold by plaintiff for defendant.

In the case of Parker vs. Young, Wakefield and Cambridge parties, on a replevin case the court ordered a verdict for the defendant.

HIS INGRATITUDE

Sent Francis H. Marcus to House of Correction

"Who is he?" asked Judge Hadley of Jacob Nannis.

Jacob was the complainant in a larceny case in police court and the court wanted to know about the defendant.

"He's a Jew," replied Jacob.

"I didn't ask abou this nationality," said the court. "I wanted to know who he is."

"I thought he was a 'greenhorn,' " said Jacob, 'but that was the time I got left," and then Jacob proceeded to tell the court a story of ingratitude that cost Francis H. Marcus ten months' freedom.

Marcus was charged with the larceny of $43 from Nannis and the latter's story to the court was, in substance, as follows: "Marcus came to me one day about two years ago, and said he was hard up. He didn't have any money and he wanted me to put him to work. I didn't want anybody at the time, but I told him to go to work because I thought he was a greenhorn and in hard luck. He had on a green coat, but that was all that was green about that fellow.

"He wore a pair of army shoes and I wondered where he got them. I asked him where got the shoes and he told me that a man in Manchester, N. H., gave them to him. His pants were full of holes and my wife told me that I ought to get him some new clothes. I bought him a new suit. He threw away the green coat, the army shoes, and the pants that were full of holes. All the time he talked like a gentleman but he was fooling me. He took me for an E. Z. mark and I guess he was right.

"I took him into my home and gave him bed and board. The first Sunday he was there the little girl was taken sick. I said to my wife that we would go to Dr. Eaton's in Westford street and see what was the mater with the little girl. My wife had a watch and chain that I gave to her before we were married. I paid $63 for the watch and chain. When we went to see the doctor she wore the watch and chain and Marcus looked ugly at it.

"I thought of course that he was a greenhorn and that he had never seen anything like it before, so I did not mind any more about it. A few days later I sent him to dinner and while he was eating dinner my wife asked him to mind the little girl because she wanted to go down cellar for some coal. The fire had gone out from the stove. While she was gone Marcus went to look for the watch and chain, but he didn't find it. I knew he looked for it because everything was turned upside down.

"Then he went to the bed where we slept and he took $43 from beneath the pillow. When my wife came back from the cellar he was still eating. I told him to bring my dinner to the store. My wife gave him my dinner and he left the house. He did not bring my dinner and I did not see him again for two years. The other day I was standing at the corner of Cross and Salem streets in Boston and I saw him. I asked him about my money. He said he would pay me $1 a week. I couldn't afford to go to Boston and collect $1 a week from a man who had stolen my money. I did not want to have him arrested and I went to see his father. I told him all about it and his father told me to have him arrested. I went and done what his father said and here we are, he's over there and I'm here."

Nannis further informed the court that he had learned that Marcus had enlisted in the United States army in New Bedford and that he had deserted in New York. He enlisted under a wrong name. Judge Hadley listened very patiently to Nannis' story and sentenced Marcus to ten months in the house of correction.

BLACKED HER EYE.

Alfred Groleau was arraigned yesterday on a complaint charging him with assault and battery on his wife, and pleaded guilty. His wife took the stand and displayed a black eye which she said her husband handed out to her while in a drunken rage. She was willing, however, to give him another show providing the court would place him under bonds to keep the peace. As she passed the dock he asked her to make it as light as possible for him, and she did. The court, however, decided that the assault could not be passed over lightly and Groleau was given a sentence of three months in the house of correction.

THE DRUNKEN OFFENDERS.

Prominent among the drunks in the dock was John Gilogly. John is an old man and a well known character in Lowell. John has been living at the city farm. A few days ago he took it into his head that a quiet stroll would do him all the good in the world and he strolled into the city. He didn't say a word to any one at the farm as to his intentions. He had a few nickles in his jeans and when he arrived in the city he proceeded to fill up. Yesterday he took few too many and got arrested. Because of his age and other things, Judge Hadley allowed him to be taken back to the workhouse this morning. John had a narrow escape, however, because had the court dealt with him as others had been dealt with, he would have been sent to the house of correction at East Cambridge.

Clerk Savage abandoned the semi colon in the suspension of sentences today and adopted a long dash in its stead with the result that there were a few cases of heart failure. Octave Levesque was sentenced to the house of correction and the sentence was suspended. Here is the way Mr. Savage read the sentence: "You are sentenced to the house of correction for a term of three months—that sentence is suspended and you are now placed on probation for a term of six months."

Levesque dropped where the dash appears but he recovered quickly and looked happy when he realized that the sentence had been suspended.

Peter Flannery was another to receive a suspended sentence and beside the long pause adopted by the clerk the words "hard labor" were also added today and Peter Flannery looked as if his name would appear first on the sick list when "hard labor" was mentioned.

John J. Hart was sent to the state farm. Four first offenders were fined $2 each and two women were released.

TO COUNTY CONVENTION.

Division 2, A. O. H. elected the following delegates to the county convention to be held in Cambridge Tuesday, Oct. 18th: Thos. J. Lynch, Denis O'Brien, John A. Lowney, Michael Spillane, Rev. J. P. Flynn, O. M. I.

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FOUR DAYS' BATTLE

Fiercest of the War Now Raging South of Mukden

Japanese Report Repulse of Russian Force—Early Russian Reports Claim Victory—Four Days of Most Terrible Fighting

MUKDEN, Oct. 13.—The battle south of this place continued throughout Wednesday with ever increasing fury. In respect to desperateness, bravery and bloodshed it far exceeds even the battle of Liao Yang.

Towards evening the Japanese repeatedly assumed the offensive. The fight continues today with unabated fury and determination. It is now the fourth day of the battle.

ARMIES LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—1.53 p. m. The Russian and Japanese armies wrestling below Mukden seem now to be definitely locked in a death struggle for the mastery. Field Marshal Oyama is countering General Kuropatkin's thrust at the Japanese right by an advance against the Russian right. The situation on a much larger scale resembles that of Vafangow, where General Stakelberg in essaying to turn the Japanese right had his own right turned. The Japanese assumed the offensive yesterday against the Russian right, forcing the latter to give ground. But, along the centre, stretch from Yental station eastward, where General Nodzu attempted a desperate counter attack and where the fighting was hottest, the Russians held their own. The result at night fall was a draw.

This is the latest word received by the war office from Kuropatkin; but according to the dispatch of the Associated Press from Mukden, the Japanese resumed the offensive again this morning. No word has come regarding the operations of the Russian turning movement on Oyama's right, on which the success of Kuropatkin's plan of battle seems to depend, the war office explaining that reports from this point had not reached Kuropatkin when he sent his dispatch and, consequently, information is lacking of the operations at the very point where all eyes centre and where the heavy blows was evidently aimed.

The strength of the force with which Kuropatkin has undertaken this turning movement has not yet developed.

The mixed column which crossed the Taitse river Sunday is now believed to be General Rennenkampff's force probably joined to other mixed columns under either Gen. Mistchenko or Gen. Kashtalinsky. The infantry or artillery engaged in desperate fighting in the neighborhood of the Benshu fords, the Japanese having fortified a short line from Benshu to Liuliudia, to protect their right flank. These columns evidently marched down from Fushun, separated at Hentsiapuize, a portion taking the direct Benshu road, the others the road to Ulisy and Koutlatze, which crosses the river at Siantziatzi, 15 miles above.

The war office is reticent regarding the movements of the flying column on the extreme Rhssian right which was striking at the line of Japanese communication with the Yalu river, but it is reported to have been checked at nese Hsienchwang (otherwise Siancha.)

The Japanese narrow gauge railroad from Fengwangcheng to Saimatsze connects with the roads and depots at Dziantchan and Sisolyr. Altogether the news this morning is not completely reassuring, the Nove Vremya, voices the prevailing sentiment, saying:

"Kuropatkin is a cautious leader and it is taken for granted that he weighed well the risks before undertaking the wide turning movement. We probably shall have to wait long and weary hours before knowing the results of the all important battle now begun."

JAPANESE GENERAL CLAIMS ADVANTAGE

TOKIO, Oct. 13.—9.45 a. m.—Field Marshal Oyama, reporting from the field Wednesday afternoon, expresses satisfaction at the progress of the operations between the Taitse and Hun rivers. The center and right armies made substantial gains, while the left army was desperately struggling to envelop the Russian right. Field Marshal Oyama dispatched two telegrams, the first of which said:

"The state of affairs in the direction of Mukden is as follows:

"On the morning of October 12, the central column of the right army at five o'clock occupied Lakoulin mountain and the northern heights at Pacheatzu. The left column of the right army occupied the northern heights of Shaotakou and continues to pursue the enemy's central column. The right army succeeded in occupying Maerh mountain. The central army, beginning operations from midnight, October 11, reached the heights extending from Sanchiatzu to Sankaushih mountain, on the northwest and is probably pursuing the enemy."

"The left army continues to attack the enemy along the Sciili river and at Lungwangmiao and Wulichieh since last night, but has not yet attained its object. At present, aided with reinforcements, the left wing is trying to envelop the enemy's right flank by means of a rear engagement in the direction of Penshuhu and the fighting continues. Judging from the above state of affairs the operations in these directions are proceeding favorably toward the attainment of our first object."

The second message is as follows:

"In an engagement at midnight on October 11, we captured two field guns and 8 ammunition wagons. Major-General Muri was wounded and one colonel was killed."

RESULT OF BATTLE NOT YET KNOWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—A dispatch from a correspondent of the Associated Press, dated Mukden, Oct. 12, morning, says:

"The fight opened today before sunrise, when the sound of guns was heard from the southward. I am now leaving for the front. The Russian troops on Tuesday occupied Yental station, but the Japanese continued to hold the Yental mines, though a furious fight has been in progress there all day long.

The Russians also captured Benshu after severe fighting and thus found themselves in an important position on the Japanese flank.

"There are many contradictory reports of the general results of Tuesday's engagement about in Mukden, and it is hard to arrive at an actual conclusion. It is not even known, on the whole, whether the Japanese or the Russians are gaining the most ground."

RUSSIANS REPORTED TO BE RETIRING

TOKIO, Oct. 13, 1 p. m.—It is reported that the Russians are retiring along the entire front and that the Russian force at Penshu is probably encveloped. Eight more guns have been captured by the Japanese.

RUSSIAN FORCE ALMOST ANNILIATED

FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE SECOND JAPANESE ARMY, Oct. 11, 5 p. m., via Fusan, Korea, Oct. 12.—During the night the Japanese occupied the hills held by the Russians on the right and center of the line, the Russians falling back a distance of three miles. The Japanese infantry advanced to within 150 yards of the Russians' lines at noon, and defeated the Russians in a fierce counter attack, almost annihilating the attacking force, who made three charges. The Russian artillery was not silenced despite a fierce shelling all day.

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LATEST

HON. WM. L. DOUGLAS

Formally Notified of Nomination For Governor

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 13.—Democrats from various parts of the state gathered in this city today to attend the ceremonies in connection with the notification of Wm. L. Douglas that he has been nominated by the democrats for governor of the commonwealth. This manner of notification is a distinct departure from the custom in this state where, heretofore, the successful candidate has been notified immediately after the declaration of the ballot and has usually appeared forthwith with a speech of acceptance.

The notification committee was composed of the following: Congressman John B. Thayer, Worcester; Mayor Patrick A. Collins, Boston; Nathan Mathews, Jr., Boston; George Fred Williams, Dedham; Congressman Wm. S. McNary, Boston; Congressman John A. Sullivan, Boston; Congressman John A. Keliher, Boston; James B. Carroll, Springfield, John J. Flaherty, Gloucester, and Charles S. Hamlin, Boston.

Congressman Thayer, as chairman of the committee, was chosen to make the notification speech.

DEATHS

BELLEROSE—Stanislas, aged one year, child of Stanislas and Pamela Bellerose, died Tuesday at the home of his parents, 203 Cheever street.

BOYLE—Thomas C. Boyle, aged three months, child of Thomas J. and Mary E. Boyle, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 253 Branch street.

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2 lbs. cans Bartlett Pears....10c
"Defiance" Brand Condensed Milk, can 8c
5 lbs. Fancy Japan Rice.....31c
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LATEST

DIAMOND PHIL

Witnesses Tell of Alleged Graft

$500 WAS NOT EVEN "CIGAR MONEY"

Two Alleged Demands for Cash

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Diamond Phil Weinseimer, walking delegate and former president of the Building Trades Alliance, the organization he founded to fight the employers in the building trades, faced a jury yesterday on the charge of having extorted money from George J. Essig, a boss plumber. His wife, dressed in a plain black hat and skirt and velvet jacket, sat in the court room all day.

When, at adjournment in the evening, she spoke a few words to her husband before he was led back to the Tombs, Weinseimer took a diamond-studded match box from his box and lighted a cigar.

In addition to the charge that Weinseimer had held up Essig, evidence was brought out to show that he had also tried to shake down the Johnson-Kahn company, the builders of the Chatsworth apartment house, at Seventy-second street and Riverside Drive, where Essig had the plumbing contract.

Assistant District Attorney Rand, for the prosecution, told the jury that they were not to solve any great industrial question, but just to determine whether or not Weinseimer was guilty of extortion. He said that after calling one strike on the Chatsworth, when the Johnson-Kahn company refused to pay $2500 to avert it, Weinseimer demanded $3000 from Essig, who took up the contract abandoned on account of the strike, and actually got from Essig $1000 in cash and seven notes, to be paid at intervals, as the price of not calling another strike.

Walter Curry, a journeyman plumber testified that he was working on the Chatsworth when a strike was called on November 16 last. John Rendall had the plumbing contract then. It was a $54,000 contract and Rendall employed twenty-two men. Curry was told that the strike was ordered because Rendall was not a member of the Master Plumbers' association.

Curry was out of work eight days, and got another job. Then he was notified by his union to call at Essig's shop in 125th street. He called and found other men who had been employed on the Chatsworth. Curry said Essig's bookkeeper paid him $34 for "waiting time," or for the eight days he had lost.

"You personally got $34 from Essig's bookkeeper for work you had never done for Essig?"

"Yes."

George Rendall testified that his men quit work on the Chatsworth on Dec. 21, on an allegation that the job was being "lumped," and because he was not a member of the Master Plumbers' association. "Lumping" the job, it was explained later on, meant that the builder supplied the material and the boss plumber was paid so much for the labor. Mr. Rendall said that when the strike was ordered he got a release on his contract.

George J. Johnson of the Johnson-Kahn company, was the principal witness. It was apparent that counsel for the defence were a little surprised when Mr. Rand brought in the charge that Weinseimer had tried to hold up the Johnson-Kahn company. But in cross-examining Mr. Johnson, Mr. Baines tried to show that the charges had been filed before the district attorney were instigated by members of the Building Trades Employers' association, principally the Ehrlitz brothers. Mr. Johnson, however, testified that it was his own intention from the time that Weinseimer made his demand on Essig to go to the district attorney after work on the Chatsworth had been completed.

Mr. Johnson said he was introduced to Weinseimer on Nov. [illegible] by Rendall but the plumbing contract had been let by E. J. Seiler who had a dispute with Weinseimer. He met Weinseimer at Forty-second street and 5th avenue. This is Mr. Johnson's story:

"Weinseimer said, 'Mr. Johnson, I am going to call a strike on the plumbing job on the Chatsworth.' 'Why?' I asked him. 'Well, the boss is lumping the job and he isn't a member of the Master Plumbers' association.' 'He is not lumping the job and I will try to get him to join the association,' I said. 'There isn't the likelihood of him getting in,' Weinseimer said. 'He might not be elected, but I can fix it. You are working also on the job. Give me $500 and I will fix it. You don't want to have any trouble.'

Johnson testified that he told Weinseimer that his company wouldn't think of paying $500; that it was out of the question. Weinseimer might get a present of $500 if there were no strikes on the Chatsworth, but that was all. Weinseimer said that $500 "was not cigar money". Then they went to a saloon on the corner and Johnson started to renew the conversation.

"Not here," said Weinseimer. "I don't want to go where Parks went."

Johnson saw Weinseimer a couple of times after that, but held to the proposition that Weinseimer might get a "present" of $500 if there were no strikes on the Chatsworth. The strike was called a week or so later. Then a contract was made with Essig to complete the plumbing work for $10,000.

Cross-examined by Mr. Baines, Mr. Johnson said that he had heard that Essig was to pay the "waiting time" for the men who had been employed by Rendall, but there was no such agreement between the company and Essig. Mr. Baines wanted to know why Rendall was not held for damages for not completing his contract, but Mr. Johnson showed that there was a strike clause in the contract. Mr. Johnson told of talking to Charles L. Ehrlitz, president of the Building Trades Employers' association, and his brother, Otto, about Weinseimer's demand on Essig for $3000. After talking with the Ehrlitz brothers, Mr. Johnson went to the office of Mr. Cohn, counsel for the Building Trades Employers' association, and there met Essig. From there Mr. Johnson and Essig went to the district attorney's office and made formal charges against Weinseimer. That was on Aug. 17. Mr. Baines wanted to know why Mr. Johnson had waited from Jan. 1, the time Essig went to work on the Chatsworth, until Aug. 17, before going to the district attorney.

"Because I wanted to wait until work on the Chatsworth was finished," said Mr. Johnson. "It was always my intention to go to the district attorney."

Mr. Johnson denied that he ever talked with the Ehrlitz brothers, or any employees about "fixing" Weinseimer and thereby putting an end to the building troubles last summer.

SAVE THE BIRDS

PLEA TO SPORTSMEN OF THE STATE.

The Massachusetts Fish and Game Protective association has issued the following appeal to the sportsmen of the state:

All Massachusetts sportsmen are earnestly requested to join in an effort to save the small remnant of quail and [illegible] which survived the extreme cold and deep snows of last winter. No more efforts were made last spring by the game association, its members and by other organizations affiliated with it, to restock the covers—some 200 dozen quail (all that could be obtained) have been distributed throughout the state. But this number was wholly inadequate to supply the demand. At least 1000 dozen quail could have been liberated to advantage had it been possible to procure them. The work of protecting has been carried on by the Massachusetts Fish and Game Protective association and its members assiduously for many years, but the protection of live birds becomes more and more difficult year by year, and in time may become impossible. We ask you, therefore, to do all in your power to protect the birds this fall, so that our covers may not be entirely depleted at the end of the present shooting season. Let us spare the birds this year and flock unitedly in an effort to restock the woods and fields with game birds, remembering that the saving of a few birds this fall means as many brood next spring. The mission of the association is not the destruction of the fish and game, but their preservation, and while some of its members are sportsmen, none of them never shoot a gun or wet a line, and have joined its ranks for the sole purpose of aiding the cause of fish and game protection."

FINE POTATO CROP.

AUGUSTA, Me., Oct. 12—The Maine farmer tomorrow will present reports from correspondents in all parts of the state, showing it an unusually heavy yield and superior quality of the potato crop in Maine. Rot is quite general where spraying has not been thoroughly done. Aroostook county reports about the same acreage as last year, the yield heavier, no rot, quality superior and spraying universal. Washington county gives an increase of one to five hundred per cent, and conditions similar to Aroostook. Other sections report more rot. Where spraying has been general the yield is from 225 to 325 bushels per acre of sound and high quality potatoes. Large shipments are being made from the fields at 50 cents per bushel.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—Cotton futures opened steady. Oct. 10.50@10.58; Nov. [illegible]; Dec. 10.19; Jan. 10.22; Feb. —; March 10.31; April 10.32@10.33; May 10.35.

UTTER CHOSEN

Will Head Republican State Ticket

RHODE ISLAND CONVENTION A QUIET AFFAIR

Seuator Platt Addressed the Delegates

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 12.—All signs pointed to a convention without contest of any kind when the republicans of the state of Rhode Island gathered in Providence today for their annual political convention for the purpose of nominating a state ticket, presidential electors and adopting resolutions. Two district conventions also were to nominate two candidates for congress.

George H. Utter of Westerly, was the candidate for the gubernatorial nomination; Frederick H. Jackson, of Providence, for lieut.-governor; Wm. M. Greenough of Providence for attorney-general; Charles P. Bennett of Providence for secretary of state, and Walter A. Reed of Gloucester for general treasurer. Equal unanimity seemed to prevail as to the choice of John H. Stiness of Providence for the congressional nomination from the first district and Congressman Adin B. Capron of Smithfield, renomination for the second district.

The convention was called to order at 10.50 by chairman of the state central committee Frank E. Holden, of Woonsocket, who presented Daniel R. Ballou as temporary chairman, and Nathan M. Wright and David J. White secretaries.

The convention proceeded to organization by calling the roll.

The temporary organization was made permanent with 220 delegates seated. Chairman Ballou accepted his position, speaking in part as follows:

CHAIRMAN BALLOU'S SPEECH.

"It is of commanding importance that the republican party of this state shall maintain an unbroken front in the vast republican ranks of the country for both the state and national tickets. The republican party will be remiss in its duty if it shall fail to redeem the gubernatorial office and the office of representative to congress from the first district. Upon your wisdom, in the election of strong and true men depends the success of the party.

There is one great industry which this country should enjoy which languishes. It is international commerce. The republican party is fully aroused to the importance of stimulating and encouraging a merchant marine, but opinions differ as to the best way to accomplish this purpose.

Free ships will not accomplish the result desired. Ships would be built by the cheap labor of Europe, thus depriving American laborers of their just share in the enterprise. President Roosevelt has already brought the matter to the attention of congress by preliminary measures looking to the bringing about of the relief result.

First the establishment of a department of labor and commerce, and second, of a commission of five senators and representatives to report to the next session of congress a specific plan for the establishment of a merchant marine both of which measures were approved by congress, but opposed by the democracy. This attitude is alone a sufficient ground to reject the democratic appeal to be entrusted with the control of the government.

The country cannot afford to permit the unskilled hands of the democratic party to handle the great economic measure of the protective tariff. The people have had a surfeit in the part of the results of its blundering work. Rhode Island's great industrial demands is that Nelson W. Aldrich be his own successor as senator from this state. Judge Parker's statement that the "Gold Standard is nicely fixed," is not so firmly established in law that it may not be changed. It would take a stronger man than he to resist the clamors of discord should a demand arise from the Bryan wing of the party to substitute silver for the gold standard.

President Roosevelt is a man of very different environment and fibre. He has inured himself to the rough experiences of the wilderness and acquired a sound body for the lodgment of a sound mind.

The American people are too intelligent to be deceived into choosing the shadow for the substance.

I predict an overwhelming election and that the state ticket here urge you to be vigilant and active that there may be no chance of failure.

Following the speech of Chairman Ballou, which was frequently interrupted by applause, committees on the nomination of presidential electors and on resolutions were appointed. A resolution extending to President Roosevelt the assurance of the support of Rhode Island was unanimously adopted.

Senator O. H. Platt, of Connecticut, was then introduced to the convention.

Senator Platt spoke quite briefly and he gave as the only real issue of the campaign the protective tariff, referring to it as the stone upon which our prosperity has been built during the past eight years. Other issues which they claim to present are fallacies.

The [illegible] of the executive usurpation which the democrats advance can be instituted only by them only in pension order No. [illegible] the constitutionality of which is unimpeachable.

He referred to the charge of imperialism and prodigacy as fallacies. The following presidential electors were [illegible]:

Wilfred Wells Sherman, Newport; Samuel R. Nicholson, Providence; Col. Webster Knight, Warwick; Rowland G. Mason, South Kingston.

The platform was reported and was adopted [illegible] unanimously.

It [illegible] follows:

THE PLATFORM.

The Republican party of Rhode Island, the delegates in state convention assembled, renews its allegiance to the principles of the republican party of the United States, and fully endorses the platform adopted by the national convention at Chicago June 22, 1904.

The Republican party of Rhode Island commends the foundations of Roosevelt and Fairbanks as the national standard bearers in this campaign.

Under the leadership of President Roosevelt the republican party during the past [illegible] years has maintained its record of doing the right thing at the right time, and in the right way, notwithstanding the persistent opposition of those who oppose right policies from a selfish or partisan standpoint. The record of attainment so signally begun by Abraham Lincoln, the martyr president of the Civil war, and ably continued by his republican successors during the intervening administrations has reached a high standard in the prompt and courageous acts of Theodore Roosevelt, soldier and statesman, equal friend of labor and capital, vigorous and impartial executive, protector of the rights of all and the terror of the evil-doer, a president of whom we are justly proud, and whose wise and beneficent administration we heartily endorse and desire to have continued.

Through the wise foreign policy of the republican administration and under the leadership of President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay, we find ourselves at peace with all the world.

Our country is everywhere respected, and our position in the very first rank in the family of nations is everywhere conceded.

The republican party of Rhode Island especially commends to the people of the state the protection and gold standard planks of the national platform, as follows: Protection which guards and develops our industries is a cardinal policy of the republican party. The measure of a protection should always at least equal the difference in the cost of production at home, and abroad.

We insist upon the maintenance of the principle of protection, and, therefore, rates of duty should be readjusted only when conditions have so changed that the public interest demands their alterations, but this work cannot be safely committed to any other hands than those of the republican party. To intrust it to the democratic party is to invite disaster. Whether, as in 1892, the democratic party, declares the protective tariff unconstitutional, or whether it demands tariff reform or tariff revision, its real object is always the destruction of the protective system.

However specious the name, the purpose is always the same.

A democratic tariff has always been followed by business adversity; a republican tariff by business prosperity. To a republican congress and a republican president this great question can be safely intrusted. When the only free trade country among the great nations agitates a return to protection, the chief protective country should not falter in maintaining it.

We believe it to be the duty of the republican party to uphold the gold standard and the integrity and value of our national currency.

The maintenance of the gold standard established by the republican party, cannot safely be committed to the democratic party which resisted its adoption and has never given any proof since that time of belief in it or fidelity to it.

We commend the record of achievements of the republican party, and declare our constant adherence to its principles.

A pure and free ballot is the basis of a permanent government, and we are opposed to either its corruption or its limitation by depriving any citizen of the United States anywhere of the right to deposit his vote, except by causes permitted by the constitution. To this end we demand the protection and permanency of all civil and political rights of our citizens, without discrimination as to race or color.

The republican party of Rhode Island desires to record its appreciation of the character, ability, and the ripe experience, of the senior United States senator from this state, Hon. Nelson W. Aldrich.

His native ability, combined with a patriotic devotion to the services of the nation and the duties of his office have placed him in the highest class of American statesmen.

It is a privilege to express our grateful appreciation of the honor he has conferred upon the state of Rhode Island and the republican party by his attainment, and we commend to the electorate of this state his faithful and efficient service, and urge his continuance in the United States senate.

The first section of the constitution of Rhode Island declares in the words of the father of his country, that "The basis of our political systems is the right of the people to make an altar their constitution of government; but that the constitution which at any time exists, till changed by an explicit and authentic act of the whole people, is sacredly obligatory upon all."

In pursuance of this wise provision which has stood the test of a century of progress, the constitution of Rhode Island has been from time to time amended.

At the session of the general assembly held the present year there was presented a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state, liberal in its provisions, and aimint to bring closer to the people the election of representatives.

It provides for representative districts so that each voter can feel that to one member at least he can look as his personal choice, instead of dividing the responsibility with a large electorate of the choice of several members not closely related to his interests. Each section of the state should this amendment prevail, would send its favorite representative to the house, the total number of members to be 105, an increase of 28.

This liberal amendment was proposed by a republican member of the general assembly and was voted for in both branches by the republican members, and was opposed by all the democratic members.

This test vote was sufficient to indicate the lack of sincerity of the opposition party in considering the question of popular government.

In view of this action of the majority in the present general assembly, the republican party confidently appeals to the voters of the state to again elect a republican legislature that the vote on this constitutional amendment may be reconsidered in 1905 and submitted to the people for ratification.

A resolution to thank Colonel S. P. Colt, last year's candidate for governor, for his services, was adopted, and Congressman A. B. Capron of Smithfield nominated George H. Utter of Westerly for governor.

Mr. Utter was unanimously nominated.

Ex-Governor Charles W. Lippitt placed in nomination for Lieut.-Governor, Frederick H. Jackson of Providence, and it was so voted by the convention.

Charles P. Bennett of Providence was unanimously chosen as the nominee for secretary of state.

For attorney-general, William B. Greenough of this city, was selected as the candidate.

General Treasurer Walter A. Reed of Gloucester was chosen as the republican candidate to succeed himself.

The convention adjourned at 1.15, after three rousing cheers for the candidates.

TELEGRAM TO ROOSEVELT.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 12.—The telegram sent to President Roosevelt is as follows:

"Theodore Roosevelt, White House, Washington, D. C.:

"The republican state convention of Rhode Island in session in the city of Providence, unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, that the chairman be requested to send a telegram to President Roosevelt extending to him the hearty greetings of the convention and assuring him that he may confidently rely upon the loyal and enthusiastic support of the republican party of Rhode Island."

ALL SOULS GUILD

Episcopal Mass for Deceased Members

LIQUOR HABIT BLAMED FOR DIVORCE EVIL

One Delegate Started to Criticise Bishop Potter

BOSTON, Oct. 12—The Guild of All Souls, one of the organizations of the Episcopal church, has arranged for a solemn high mass of requiem for the repose of the souls of deceased members of the last triennial general convention of the church which was held at San Francisco in 1901. The service will be held at the church of the Advent on October 22 and the celebrant will be Rev. Larcher, rector of the Church of Ascension, Chicago, one of the deputies from that diocese and superior of the Guild.

Since the last general convention the presiding bishop of the church, Rt. Rev. Thomas March Clark, bishop of Rhode Island; Rt Rev. Thomas U. Dudley, bishop of Kentucky and chairman of the house of bishops; Rev. John S. Lindsay, D. D. LL. D., rector of St. Paul's Boston and Chairman of the house of deputies and other prominent deputies have died. Death has also claimed three other rectors of prominent Boston churches, one of whom was a deputy to the San Francisco convention.

It was expected that the archbishop of Canterbury would make his farewell visit to the general convention today as he will leave the city early tomorrow.

A proposition to establish courts of review and appeal, was on the order paper in the house of deputies this forenoon.

At present there is no method by which an appeal can be taken from the decision of a diocesan board and a strong sentiment exists in favor of a sort of ecclesiastical supreme court.

The bishops attended a special communion service at St. Paul's church this morning. The archbishop of Canterbury was celebrant. The spiritual side of auxiliary work was the subject discussed at the Woman's Auxiliary conference in Pierce hall. It was conducted by Mrs. Hubert of Los Angeles. Among the speakers were Bishops L. R. Brewer of Montana; Samuel D. Ferguson of Cape Palmas, Africa, and John M. Kendrick of Arizona and New Mexico.

In the house of deputies, Rev. Dr. W. M. Grosvenor of New York presented a resolution amending the conventions so as to make the representation of each diocese in the house three clergymen and three deputies. The proposition was referred to a committee.

General Stotensburg of Indianapolis moved that a joint convention of bishops, Presbyterians and laymen, be appointed for the purpose of memorializing the legislative bodies of the various states in the interest of legislation restricting the performance of marriages to ministers of the gospel. The matter was placed on the calendar.

Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Parks of New York, rising to a question of privilege, said he desired to present a communication from Bishop Wm. C. Doane of Albany in explanation of a previous statement made by the bishop touching on marriage and divorce and which was criticized by Rev. Dr. Parks yesterday in opening the discussion on divorce. Rev. B. Talbot Rogers of Fond Du Lac, Wis., speaking to a point of order, said Dr. Parks' criticism was made while the house was in committee of the whole, and moved that the reading of the letter be prepared. After a brief controversy, Rev. Mr. Roger's motion was lost and the letter was read.

Rev. Dr. Parks had quoted Bishop Doane as declaring that marriages were annulled by pre-nuptial impurity. The bishop's letter to the New York rector stated that he has been misunderstood and that in making the statement quoted by Rev. Dr. Parks yesterday he had referred to the old Jewish customs. Bishop Doane thought it was unfair to hold the commission on the divorce canon responsible for his opinions.

A long discussion followed on what should be the proper age for those entering the order of deaconesses. The house voted to fix the age limit at 23 years.

The house of deputies then went into committee of the whole to discuss the proposed canon forbidding remarriage by a divorced person while the former partner is living. Joseph Packard, of Baltimore, assumed the chair.

The first speaker, E. G. Bradford, of Wilmington, Del., denounced the prevailing system whereby divorces are hastily granted. The divorce evil had become of alarming magnitude and was striking at the foundation of Christian civilization. There was a grave doubt, Mr. Bradford said, as to whether the church had a right to solemnize the marriage of any divorced person while the former partner was living.

Rev. James H. McIlvaine, of Pittsburg, doubted the constitutional right of the church to forbid remarriage of the innocent person.

Rowland Evans, of Philadelphia, thought the innocent person had the right to remarry. He advocated leaving the present canon unchanged.

J. P. Thomas, a lawyer of Columbia, S. C., informed the convention that his state does not allow divorce. The absence of divorce laws caused no hardships. He denied that strict marriage laws tended to immorality and he favored the proposed canon. Rev. Dr. L. G. Kinsolving, of Brooklyn, classed the proposed change as a species of flat legislation. He thought the dioceses if given the opportunity would have overwhelmingly defeated the new canon.

The next speaker, Rev. B. Talbot Rogers of Fond Du Lac, Mich., challenged anyone on the floor of the house to show him anything in the new testament by which the Lord authorized the re-marriage of a divorced person.

He assailed the present canon on marriage and divorce and supported the proposed amendments.

A commotion was caused by the following speaker, John G. Buxton of Winston, N. C., who attributed much of the divorce evil to the liquor habit. He expressed the opinion that it would be better for the cause to curb the liquor traffic before changing the canons on marriage. "If, instead of a high official of the church," continued Mr. Buxton, "lending his influence to the saloon"—at this point a deputy from Los Angeles called the speaker to order and he was admonished by the chairman to keep his remarks in order.

He attempted to make some other references to the Subway tavern but was called to order by the chairman.

The discussion was postponed until the late afternoon session.

ROOSEVELT'S STATEMENT

CAUSED MUCH INTEREST IN JAPAN.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 12—The steamer Empress of Japan, brings word from Tokio that much interest is being manifested in the statement that President Roosevelt proposes to bring the question of war before The Hague tribunal.

It is thought that America is the one nation strong enough to insist upon this solution of the controversy.

RUSSIAN MOVE CHECKED BY JAPS

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 8 p. m.—A battle, south of Mukden, raged interruptedly all of Tuesday and into the night. It was continued today. The results have not been decisive.

The Russians have a heavy force on the Japanese right toward the Taitse river, but it is believed that the Japanese have checked the Russian movement.

JAPANESE ADVANCE TOWARDS MUKDEN

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 3.30 p. m.—A general Japanese advance along a broad front, towards Mukden, is progressing.

A brigade of Russian infantry, with two thousand cavalry and two guns, having the object of striking General Kuroki's flank, crossed the Taitse river October 8. The Japanese cut off the retreat of this force, and possibly will capture it.

The Russians are attacking Sienchuang, 30 miles northeast of Saimatsze (southeast of Liao Yang and almost due north of Fengwangcheng)evidently with the object of cutting off Japanese communications with the Yalu river.

GEN. DANIELOFF WOUNDED IN LEG

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 12.—General Sakharoff, telegraphing yesterday evening confirms the reports of desperate fighting north of Yentai, where the heights were alternately held by the Russians and Japanese.

General Danieloff, who succeeded Generals Troussoff and Romanoff in command of the Sixth Siberian rifle division, was wounded in the leg but did not relinquish his command.

The losses are not stated and according to the latest advices the battle is continuing today.

RUSSIAN ATTACK WELCOMED BY JAPS

TOKIO, Oct. 12.—11 a. m. Silence has been preserved at headquarters concerning the events around Liao Yang and Mukden. It is popularly reported that the Russian advance and attack is welcomed. Heretofore the Japanese have always been compelled to take the aggressive and openly assault the strongest works. The people believe now that the conditions are reversed the troops will speedily check the Russians, instancing Lieutenant General Count Keller's unlucky venture at Motien pass.

JAPANESE COLUMN FORCED TO WITHDRAW

MUKDEN, Oct. 11.—(Delayed in transmission)—The aggressive movement of General Kuropatkin's army is causing the Japanese column on the northeast to withdraw, concentrating at the Yentai coal mines.

Russian scouting parties came into contact with the Japanese Monday evening and captured 100 head of cattle.

The retirement of the Japanese was so hurried that they abandoned their field telegraph and telephone lines.

The Russian soldiers are in the best of spirits and advance to battle singing.

ADVANCE IN MUKDEN BEGAN MONDAY

FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE SECOND JAPANESE ARMY, Oct. 10—9 p. m.—Via Fusan, Korea, Oct. 12—The advance on Mukden began this morning. Field Marshal Oyama, learning that the Russians were strengthening and reinforcing their left five miles north of Yentai, ordered the advance. The entire line began to march, the infantry advancing two or three miles, the artillery following.

The Russians observing this movement, opened an artillery gun duel which continued all day. There was no decisive forward movement of the infantry last night.

RESULT OF BATTLE IN THE BATTLE

AT THE RUSSIAN FRONT, Monday, Oct. 10, by messenger. Mukden, Tuesday, Oct. 11—(Delayed in transmission)—The artillery duel is progressing on the Russian left, 27 miles southeast of Mukden, while the fighting at Yentai rages with terrible bitterness. The Japanese are essaying a counter attack and the result is in the balance. Russian reinforcements are coming up rapidly.

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Lowell, Mass., June 9, 1904.

Nichols & Co.:

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Yours respectfully,

F. W. CRAGIN, Com. Post 120.

Lowell, Mass., May 31, 1904.

Chas. Nichols, Esq.:

Dear Sir:—Your "Capital" Coffee furnished our post on Memorial Day being of such superior quality to others which we have used, we would cheerfully recommend the same to all who desire a good thing.

Truly yours,

CHAS. H. RICHARDSON,

Commander Post 185.

Lowell, Mass., June 2, 1904.

Messrs. Nichols & Co.:

Gentlemen:—The "Capital" Coffee you furnished B. F. Butler Post 42 for use on Memorial Day was excellent and we cheerfully recommend it to all who wish a delicious drink. Very respectfully,

EARL A. THISSELL,

Commander B. F. Butler Post 42.

WHAT FATHER ROSA SAYS

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 17, 1903.

Nichols & Co., 31 John St.:

Gentlemen: I take pleasure in giving you credit for the superior quality of the "Capital" Coffee which was served at our annual picnic, Labor Day, and recommend your first class goods to the public. Wish you the best of success in business. Yours respectfully. REV. J. V. ROSA

HOW THEY LIKE IT IN CAMP

Lowell, Mass., June 13, 1904.

Messrs. Nichols & Co., Lowell.

Gentlemen:—We received from you the shipment of "Capital" Coffee, and ten sent with the supplies for our camp at Moosehunmunguk Lake, and I wish to state, and it was the universal opinion of all the members of the club, that this coffee was of a superior quality and the best that we have ever had at our camp. When this order has been used, I shall be pleased to give you another order for the same. Very respectfully yours,

LUCIUS A. DERBY, Treasurer.

What They Say in Billerica

No. Billerica, Mass., July 5, 1904.

Nichols & Co.:

Dear Sir:—Your famous "Capital" Coffee which you furnished for the Loyal Ass Pollard lodge on its recent anniversary was the best coffee that any of the members, friends and families have tasted, and it was the universal opinion that it was the best anniversary we have ever had since your famous "Capital" Coffee has been introduced by the order throughout the country. Counted among the guests of the Ass Pollard lodge this afternoon of June, 1904. (Signed)

CHELMSFORD HEARD FROM

Chelmsford, Mass., June 10, 1904.

Nichols & Co.:

Gents: The "Capital" Coffee you furnished for Memorial Day dinner was not excelled by any coffee we have had on previous occasions. We cheerfully recommend it to lovers of good coffee. Respectfully yours,

W. R. FOWLE,

Adjutant of Chelmsford Veterans' Association, Post 185.

Chelmsford, Mass., June 17, 1904.

Nichols & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

Gentlemen: The "Capital" Coffee purchased by you for the Hildreth reunion at Chelmsford Centre yesterday gave the greatest satisfaction to all and received many favorable comments. You undoubtedly have in this brand of coffee an article that merits every trial to convince one of its superior merits. Sincerely yours,

CHARLES E. BARTLETT,

In behalf of committee in charge.

Chelmsford, Mass., Sept. 1, 1904.

Nichols & Co., Coffee Roasters, John St., Lowell, Mass.:

Gentlemen: The dinner recently served by the finance committee of the Chelmsford church to members of the Methodist conference, and one thing that helped to make it so was the excellent coffee served, which was procured at your store. Loud were the praises for "Capital" Coffee. It is rightly named. One thing the veterans could not understand and that was this: "How can they sell such a fine coffee for 28 cents per pound?"

Respectfully, WM. H. HALL,

For the Committee.

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CORPSE MISSING

Police are Puzzled as to Murder or Suicide

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—John Tewich, a Russian saloonkeeper, has disappeared from 349 East Twenty-third street, leaving behind a room that looks like a slaughterhouse, a bloodstained razor, stories of business embarrassment and a first-class mystery. The police are uncertain whether they have suicide, murder or a four-flush disappearance on their hands. Louis La Ferre, Tewich's partner; Joseph Hyland, a roommate, and James J. Ryan, his landlord, are held as suspicious characters in connection with the disappearance. The case came to notice in a queer way.

Tewich, who was naturalized last year, was a real estate operator in a small way in Philadelphia. He came to New York last spring, couldn't find a real estate opening, and finally, last June, formed a partnership with La Ferre and took the saloon business at 349 East Twenty-third street off the hands of George Ibert.

The business did not do well. By last Saturday, Tewich, his associates say, was at the end of his string. The landlord had given notice of eviction for unpaid rent and the Union Brewing company, which was backing his business, shut down on his credit and his license. He sold out the beer left about the place and closed up Saturday night for good. He was said to be in debt for money borrowed to keep the business going.

Tewich, La Ferre and Hyland lived together in a little suite of rooms upstairs. In the biggest room, opening upon the hall, was Hyland's bed. Tewich and La Ferre slept in two little dens opening off this room and divided by a board partition, in which, about six feet from the floor, is a single barred window.

Tewich went out on Sunday about 1 o'clock. His room mates did not see him again—at least so they say.

But, according to the story of these two, they tried the door of his little den on Monday morning and looked in. The edge of his bed was stained with blood. There was a thick pool of dry-blood on the floor and in it lay Tewitch's razor. In the inside keyhole was Tewitch's bunch of keys. They were bloody, too, and so was the door knob.

The two men say they wer ogoing to notify the police, when they met Ryan, the landlord. He begged them not to do it. He said that the papers would get it, and he could never rent his place again.

"I'm an old deputy sheriff and I'll attend to this," he said, according to La Ferre and Hyland. They were persuaded—the more easily because La Ferre owed Ryan some money.

The horror just the other side of that board partition got on La Ferre's nerves, however, and Hyland did not like to sleep alone facing that door. They moved their beds together to Hyland's room and there they slept Monday night.

They told Mrs. Norton, the housekeeper, Tuesday afternoon. She wouldn't hear of keeping it quiet, and told Policeman Kuchhoff, of the Twenty-second street station. He sent in a report. Capt. Gallagher came down, saw the room, and sent detectives out for La Ferre, Hyland and Ryan. They were all arrested at once, Hyland making an unsuccessful atemut to escape.

CRANE APPOINTED U. S. SENATOR

BOSTON, OCT. 12.—GOVERNOR JOHN L. BATES TODAY APPOINTED FORMER GOVERNOR WM. MURRAY CRANE OF DALTON TO BE U. S. SENATOR TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED TERM OF GEORGE F. HOAR, RECENTLY DECEASED.

$15,000 GEMS

Thief Believed to be in Boston

BOSTON, Oct. 12—With jewels valued at $15,000, stolen from the mansion of a wealthy Toronto, Ont., family, Thomas McCauley of that city has been traced to Boston, and the local police are now making a desperate attempt to locate the robber, who has the jewels in his possession.

Every bluecoat and a score of detectives are watching the pawnshops and haunts frequented by thieves. A scar between the eyebrows and the nervous twitching of the middle finger on the right hand are two noticeable features of the description furnished by the Toronto police, of McCauley.

On the secret manifold at headquarters, which is not supposed to get into the hands of reporters, the story of the crime and a description of McCauley is furnished.

It carefully eliminates the names and addresses of the victims of the robbery. The robbery took place on the night of October8, and not until McCauley reached Boston did the Toronto police learn of his departure. They have positive information that he did not get off the train until it reached here.

The police say that McCauley will not attempt to dispose of the stuff, for if he does he will surely be captured.

McCauley is about 45 years old, is 5 feet 9 inches tall, with stooped shoulders, and weighs 150 pounds. Between his eyebrows is a bad scar. His mustache is turning gray. He is of a nervous temperament and has a continual twitching of the middle finger of his right hand.

The Toronto authorities have offered a reward of $500 for his arrest.

HE PAID $1100

CHICAGO MAN OWNS THE DEXTER DOLLAR.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—W. F. Dunham, a druggist of Chicago, was the purchaser of the United States dollar of 1804, which was put up at auction at the Collectors' club, 351 Fourth avenue, yesterday. The price paid was $1100. This was the most valuable coin in the collection of H. G. Brown of Portland, Ore., which was on sale. It is one of the thirteen dollars of this date known to the Nexen list. Its last appearance at a public sale was in Philadelphia in May, 1895, when it was sold to J. D. Dexter for $900. It was known as the Dexter dollar from this sale.

Mr. Dunham needed only this coin to make his collection of United States coins complete. He made the trip here from Chicago for the special purpose of securing it.

MAJOR SEAMAN

ADDRESSED THE CONGRESS OF MILITARY SURGEONS.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The entire third day's session of the international congress of military surgeons was devoted to the presentation of papers and addresses. The first address was by Major L. L. Seaman, U. S., V. E., who has just returned from the scene of the Russo-Japanese war.

Following Major Seaman's address, Col. Medice Pietro Imbriaco of the Royal Italian army, delivered an address upon "The organization and conduct of the sanitary service of the first line in modern war."

WON NEW MARKET STAKES.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—At the New Market second October meeting today, the Cantrevitch stakes of 25 sovereigns each, with 500 sovereigns added for three-year-olds and upwards, distance two miles and two furlongs, was won by Wargrave. Rondeau was second and Warwolf was third. Twenty horses started.

GENERAL STRIKE

Is Threatened by Carpenters Union

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 12.—The carpenters' union today notified the local assembly of the interstate contractors, builders' and dealers' association that a general strike of all union carpenters in this vicinity would be ordered at noon tomorrow if three men recently discharged by members of the assembly were not reinstated.

HIS LAST CENT

EXPENDED FOR NOOSE WITH WHICH TO HANG HIMSELF.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—"I have but one cent in the world. With it I will buy a shoestring. Let us hope that the copper will send me to eternity."

With this note pinned on his coat, seventy-year-old Anton F. Bauer, No. 520 Ann street, West Hoboken, N. J., was found hanging to a bedpost, in his room, by his son. A shoestring had been so arranged about his neck that it had strangled him.

Recently the father and son were talking about purchasing a saloon. The son said he would run the business, as he thought his father was too old. An argument followed in which the parent said:

"My son, if you persist in having your way I will disgrace the family by committing suicide in the cheapest manner on record." He then retired to his room.

Late yesterday afternoon the son tried to open the door to his father's room. He found it locked, and when the door was forced the discovery was made.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 12—A resume of the year's work in all departments occupied the morning session of the Rhode Island Sunday school association at the beneficient Congregational church today, Rev. John D. Pickles, Ph. D., making the leading address on "What the Sunday school has accomplished."

The financial question was spoken on by Thomas W. Waterman, state treasurer, of Providence; Home department work by Charles W. Collier of Providence, and work about the state by field secretary W. B. Wilson.

The election of officers was held after which Rev. John D. Lowden of this city spoke on "Nazereth, the boyhood home of Jesus."

"Our leaders" was the subject of the afternoon meeting, Rev. A. F. Schauffler of New York addressing the convention on "the pastor and the Sunday school," and M. Marion Lawrence on "The superintendent and his work."

Conferences of patsors and teachers occupied the afternoon session.

100 YEARS OLD.

NORTHFIELD, Vt., Oct. 12—The centenial celebration of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this town which was begun Sunday last was resumed today, the principal feature being a "Class meeting" conducted in the style of a half century ago, by Rev. A. L. Cooper, D. D., a former pastor. This evening there will be an address by F. Plumley on "The work and workings of the general conference of 1904." Tomorrow "Centennial day," will be the principal day of the celebration and an interesting program has been prepared.

VALUABLE TIDAL OBSERVATIONS

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—The steamer Neptune, with the Canadian surveying party on board, arrived here today from Hudson Bay after a cruise of about a year. Valuable tidal and weather observations were made, together with an investigation into the mineral resources of the bay and the possibilities of developing the fisheries. Mounted police stations were built at various points.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

WATSON NAMED

For Councillor in the Sixth District Convention

Defeated Williams of Wayland 3 to 1—Melrose Delegate Executes a Slick Political Move in Interest of Next Year's Candidate

Walter S. Watson of Lowell was nominated for councillor by the sixth district republican convention held in Huntington hall yesterday.

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Owing to the arrival of several delinquent delegates and the mix-up over the Lawrence credentials, the committee did not report on time and it was considerably after 12 o'clock when the committee addressed the convention and submitted its report.

Dr. Newton for the committee then reported 221 delegates present out of a total of 239, the vacancies being as follows: Lawrence, Boxford, Topsfield, Burlington, Everett and Sudbury, 1 each; Malden and Medford, 2 each; and Waltham, 8 vacancies, a total of 18. The committee asked permission to make a supplementary report where vacancies had been filled and the report was accepted as a report of progress.

On motion of Mayor Howe the temporary organization was made permanent and then further time was taken up for the purpose of filling vacancies in the delegations.

The credential committee then made a supplementary report, adding six delegates to the whole number, two from Medford, two from Malden, one from Everett, and one from Lawrence, making a total of 227 delegates.

The report was accepted.

MR. WATSON NOMINATED.

Nominations were then in order and Robert Mountford of Lowell moved that nominating speeches be limited to five minutes, and the motion passed.

Alonzo G. Walsh of Lowell then arose and introducing himself as unexpectedly called upon, said: "We are satisfied with the platform our party and our candidate for president, Roosevelt, and we want to add to them our candidate for governor, John L. Bates, and show to the country that old Massachusetts is loyal to the party and can roll up a big republican majority on election day. Now there is one more candidate of whom I would speak. He has served with Governor Bates for the past two years and we only ask that he be allowed to serve until the end of the present governor's term of service next year. I assure you that his ambition extends no further. It is only a fair proposition that we make to you. You know the man; we present him, confident that he will have your suffrages and it gives me pleasure to present the name of Walter S. Watson of Lowell. (Great cheers.)

MR. WILLIAMS NOMINATED.

Mr. Daniel Brackett of Wayland then arose and said: "We are here today to name one of the political advisors to Gov. Bates for a nomination in this district means an election. We are therefore solicitous as to the man whom we send to Gov. Bates. As I listened to the honest and sincere words of the other speaker and having a man in mind equally clever, equally sound of intellect, and I feel that whoever we may send from this district will be a safe man for the position. I am to present to you a candidate from one of the smaller towns and I ask you to have this in mind, that while this district is made up of 33 towns and only 10 cities, that for several years the councillor has been drawn from the cities and, therefore, I thought the towns might be especially entitled to consideration if they present a man peculiarly well fitted for the position. The man I would present is Ex-Senator Chester D. Williams of Wayland.

MELROSE'S FOXY MOVE.

Mr. A. M. Willis of Melrose hopped a big surprise on the convention by seconding the nomination of Mr. Watson and incidentally laying wires for John C. F. Slayton of Melrose as successor to Mr. Watson. He made a rousing speech in behalf of Melrose and its candidate, and stated that the Melrose delegation had intended to present the name of Mr. Slayton but in the interest of harmony had finally decided to support Mr. Watson for one more term.

Aaron C. Dowse of Malden then seconded the nomination of Mr. Watson.

At this point the credential committee reported five delegates from Waltham, making a total number of delegates present 232.

Colonel Chadwick of Lowell moved the appointment of a ballot committee of five and he was made chairman and the others on the committee were A. C. Dowse of Malden, A. W. Campbell of Lawrence, J. A. Gleason of Marlboro, Samuel W. Forest, Melrose.

A motion was then made to proceed to ballot and the delegates voted as their cities and towns were called.

Charlie Varnum and Robert Mountford were the two Ayer delegates. Harry McAlvin represented a vote from Everett, Representative Caleb South voted from Malden, James McDowell voted for Reading, Alex. Fecteau represented Tewksbury. Eleven Lowell men voted in the Waltham delegation. President Braden of the Common council was a Wilmington and Charles Cross of the registrars' office voted as a Winchester.

The last man to vote was George Tryder of Chelmsford and one of the out-of-town delegates objected to him on the ground that he didn't live there. The crowd gave the out-of-town man the laugh and Mr. Tryder voted.

RESOLUTIONS ON SEN. HOAR.

While a ballot committee was out counting ballots, Mr. Southworth of Malden read a set of resolutions upon the death of the late Senator Hoar which were adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. Bayard of Malden moved the appointment of a committee of five to bring in a district committee and the committee reported by them is announced elsewhere.

WATSON NOMINATED.

The ballot committee then reported as follows:

Whole number	230
Necessary	116
Chester B. Williams	58
Walter S. Watson	172

The announcement of the ballot was received with cheers which were continued as Mr. Brackett of Malden moved to make the nomination unanimous.

A committee of three was appointed to escort Mr. Watson to the convention.

MR. WATSON SPEAKS.

The arrival of Mr. Watson in the hall was the signal for another outburst of cheers, Mr. Watson took the platform and spoke very briefly as follows: "I thank you most cordially for this nomination, and I appear before you for the third and last time as a candidate for councillor. If elected I shall endeavor to perform the duties of the office as carefully as I can. Again I thank you."

The committee dissolved at 1.30.

THE SNOW FELL

First Flakes of Season Filled the Air

It spit and it spat and it spit—that was what the snow did Wednesday afternoon and it was the earliest for years. Great big flakes came down from above and while they did not whiten the earth they did make things rather unpleasant and served as ag entle reminder of what is in store for us all.

At the office of the Locks & Canals it was stated that the snow storm of today was the earliest for years, but how many years the man in the Locks & Canals office couldn't say. He called the fellow at Pawtucket falls but he was away and the woman who is looking after the weather and other things at that point said she couldn't remember when it snowed "as early as this," and she allowed it was the coldest day she ever experienced in the month of October.

THERMOMETER'S GREAT DROP.

While yesterday was like a day in June, thermometrically, today is like one in December, for within 24 hours the thermometer dropped nearly 40 degrees and the spirits of the public dropped accordingly.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

FOOTBALL TEAM OPENED ITS SEASON THIS AFTERNOON.

The Lowell Textile School football team opened its season this afternoon with the Haverhill Alumni team. The Textile squad is made up of the following players:

E. J. Kent, Donnellan, Prior, Storer; tackles, Brookhouse, Warren, Edwards and Cannon; guards, Julia, Marra, Jones and Bentze; centre, Frost, Moore; quarterback, Currier, Midwood; halfbacks, Southgate, Couch, Mayo and Kenney; full back, McDonald, Thomas, Hodgman and Lee.

H. A. Currier, who played on the Lowell High year at quarterback will, in all likelihood fill that position this season. He is captain of the team and Charles A. Harris is manager.

Mr. Harris has filled out the following fixture for the coming season:

Oct. 15—Worcester Academy at Worcester.
Oct. 19—Salem High at Salem.
Oct. 22—High School Alumni at Lowell.
Oct. 26—Dorchester High at Lowell.
Oct. 29—Haverhill High at Haverhill.
Nov. 2—M. I. T. Freshmen at Lowell.
Nov. 5—Blue Stocks of North Andover at North Andover.
Nov. 9—Somerville High at Somerville.
Nov. 12—Tufts Second at Lowell.
Nov. 16—Open.
Nov. 19—M. I. T. Sophomores at Lowell.

DIED SUDDENLY.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 12.—Col. James P. Averill, Jr., vice-commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, died suddenly at his home here this morning.

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If the pending negotiations are successfully concluded, it is quite probable that the Boston & Northern street railway company will soon assume control of the Lowell & Boston street railway company, which has virtually been out of business the past six months.

The latter road runs from Woburn to Billerica through Burlington. When it was built it was the intention of the promoters to obtain a right of way through Woburn, Winchester and Medford, where connections were to be made with the Boston Elevated railway for Sullivan square. Connections were to be made in Billerica for Lowell. The plans, however, fell through, and the road, as constructed, failed to become a paying enterprise and lately has been virtually abandoned.

If the road is obtained by the Boston & Northern people, it is expected that another through line between Lowell and Boston will be established. The road already connects with the Boston & Northern in Billerica, and its cars enter Lowell by this line. At Woburn it would only be necessary to build about 100 feet of track to connect the terminus on Winn street with the tracks of the Boston & Northern in Woburn square.

If this connection was made it would establish a through line from Medford Winchester, Woburn, Wilmington and Tewksbury. Now that through cars over the latter line from Lowell to Sullivan square via Medford square are promised within a month, it would be an easy matter to add the service via Burlington and Billerica from Medford.

AN INVESTIGATION

INTO CAUSE OF DEATH OF TWO MEN.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 12—An inquiry is being held today by Medical Examiner Barnett into the deaths of asphyxiation of John B. Harlan and Peter Samuelson, in the former's room at a boarding house in West Haven. The men were last seen on Sunday. Last evening a visitor to the house called the attention of others to the odor of gas and in searching for the supposed leak, Harlan's room was visited. Both bodies were lying across the bed and it was evident that they had been dead for many hours. Harlan was 70 years of age and Samuelson 65.

HOGAN DISCHARGED

HE WAS HELD ON CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER.

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 12.—Thomas J. Hogan, held on charge of manslaughter for causing the death of 14-year-old Edward Shattuck by a blow from a bottle hurled at some person in a street brawl, two weeks ago, was discharged in police court this forenoon. Judge Berry stating that the result of the inquest did not warrant holding Hogan.

HAAS ARRESTED

HE IS HELD ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Herman E. Haas, charged with the embezzlement of $20,000 from the Corn National bank of Chicago, was brought here today on the steamer Furnessia from Colon. He will be taken to Chicago. Haas was arrested at Panama whence he had fled, and surrendered to the American minister as an act of comity by the Panama government. He had $800 in a satchel, when arrested.

MILLS CLOSED

NO ATTEMPT TO OPEN THEM IN FALL RIVER.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 12.—There was no change in the strike situation today, the mills which had been expected to open having abandoned the plan. It is not denied that certain mills are ready to open to test the sentiment of the operatives but pressure has been brought to bear to keep the early agreement intact, with the view to opening all the mills together. The date Oct. 24 has been suggested, but the association has as yet taken no action.

BARELY ESCAPED

FAMILY FLED FROM A BURNING BUILDING.

YORK BEACH, Maine, Oct. 12—A fire which destroyed two summer residences early today nearly resulted fatally for the family of Michael Purchello who escaped in their night clothes after being awakened by neighbors. The fire originated from an unknown cause in the cottage of E. L. Crossman of New York City, which was closed for the season yesterday, burning that and the Purchello house. The Ocean house, situated close by, was saved by a high wind blowing in the opposite direction.

The loss was $3,500, with partial insurance.

ADVERTISING AGENCY ASSIGNS.

BOSTON, Oct. 12—The H. B. Humphrey Company, a newspaper and magazine advertising agency with offices in New York and Boston, has assigned to Joseph W. Lund and Howard F. Butter of Boston. The book assets of the company are rated at $9,000 and the liabilities at $81,000. Of the assets however, it is announced that only those aggregating $25,000 are considered valuable. The assignment was brought about by the failure of two large creditors to settle their accounts. It is stated that the company will be re-organized under the laws of Massachusetts.

BANK DIRECTORS ARRESTED.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Oct. 12—C. B. Schaff, E. A. Grey and J. D. Bosley, directors and stockholders in the national bank of Holdenville, which suspended last June have been arrested and brought to this city. They were placed under heavy bonds charged with having misbaled money under false pretenses and disposal of mortgaged property.

SEN. KIMBALL RENOMINATED.

IPSWICH, Mass., Oct. 12.—The republicans of the third Essex senatorial district in convention here today unanimously renominated Senator Moody Kimball of Newburyport. Herman H. Gorman of Gloucester was chairman. Arthur Story of Essex was chosen a member of the state committee. After the convention the delegates were the guests of Senator Moody at the Agawpuso.

AMERICAN NURSES DECORATED.

TOKIO, Oct. 12, 3 p. m.—The emperor has decorated the American nurses with the Order of the Crown.

LYNN CONVENTION

Condemn Governor and Reward Organizers

LYNN, Oct. 11—The debate on Governor Bates' veto of the overtime bill and that on the Fall River strike engaged the attention of the delegates at the convention of the state branch American Federation of Labor today. Delegates were campaigning before the convention opened for the candidates for office where contests exist.

Miss Mae Donovan of Lynn and Miss Anna Bowen of Boston, two women delegates, were given gold rings by the convention in recognition of organizing work done. The committee on executive council report recommended a clause instructing the executive council to aid by loaning funds of the state branch unions that may have serious trouble. This was debated, but adopted.

A plea for the Somerville Tube Workers now on strike was made and the strike indorsed.

After a warm debate, resolutions issued by Jos. Jackson of the slasher tenders of Fall River, denouncing Governor Bates for the veto of the over time bill and calling for political work against him, were adopted, but not before delegates had brought out the labor record of W. Douglas of Brockton. One declared that two union men had been blacklisted in the Douglas factory.

An effort to commit the convention to an endeavor to have the Lurce law so changed that voters need not declare party preference was referred to next year's convention.

PATENT MEDICINES

BLAMED FOR INTEMPERANCE AMONG WOMEN.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 12.—In responding to the toast "The Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America," Rev. Fr. Walter J. Shanley, rector of the cathedral here and recently elected national president, attributed the growth of intemperance among women to the presence of alcohol in medicines. His statement was made during a review of the total abstinence movement among young men and women. He referred to a letter he had received from a Washington physician giving information as to the percentage of alcohol in a very large number of so-called patent medicines and then warned his hearers against the use of them. He said that he was convinced that continued use of medicines which are fortified with alcohol produce a craving which is the forerunner of inebriety.

MAYOR HARRISON

WILL CALL ON JUDGE PARKER TOMORROW.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Judge Parker's only callers during the forenoon today were Delancy Nicholl, vice chairman of the democratic national committee; T. E. Benedict of Ellenville, N. Y., and John W. McDonald, of the office of the city comptroller of New York. Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago is expected tonight or tomorrow. Judge Parker will return to Esopus tomorrow evening but will again be in New York on next Monday to remain two or three days.

NO ONE INJURED

TRAINS IN COLLISION AT CALIFORNIA, MO.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 12.—The second section of Missouri Pacific train No. 50 which left Kansas City for St. Louis, after midnight, and west bound passenger No. 3, which left St. Louis at 10.10 last night were in collision at California, Mo., today. The damage was slight and according to the general officers here no one was injured. The cars remained upright. One train struck the other from the side at a switch while running at a slow rate of speed.

NEW AMUSEMENT

ROLLER SKATING FOR LOWELL ONCE MORE.

Lowell is going to have a new indoor amusement this winter and one which undoubtedly will prove a very popular one, it being that of roller skating. Joseph P. Fox, the manager of the Marion polo team, and who managed the champion Lowell polo team, is at the head of the movement and he is backed by several of Lowell's representative citizens.

Huntington hall will be used for the skating and sessions will be held afternoons and evenings during the week, no regular days being assigned. The reason for this is that Mr. Fox does not want to conflict his dates with those of any society or club which intends to conduct socials during the winter. Mr. Fox stated to The Sun reporter that he can arrange his dates so as not to interfere with any of the regular parties conducted during the year. The dates for skating will be advertised weekly through the newspapers.

Mr. Fox has ordered three thousand ball bearing roller skates of the latest pattern, there being sixteen balls to each roller or 288 balls to each pair of skates. An orchestra will also furnish amusement during the skating.

Supt. of Buildings O'Connor has assigned numerous dates to Mr. Fox, for the winter season, and Mr. Fox has complied with the rules and regulations in regard to letting the hall. It is expected that the first session will be held in a couple of weeks.

SOLO TALENT WITH CREATORE.

The Creatore Band Organization, which will be heard here at Huntington Hall on Sunday evening, Oct. 16th abounds in solo talent. The premier, of course, is Mme. Barili, the eminent soprano who is the vocal soloist at all the concerts. She has one of the best of clear and pure soprano voices and most satisfactory Italian methods at present before the public, and with a beautiful and queenly presence, she has won her every audience the many times she has appeared with Creatore on his tours. The instrumental soloists are not, as a rule, put on the programme as such, but they are always in evidence in the many solo parts of the great operatic selections which are so much admired and wondered at during the Creatore concerts. The personnel of the makeup of the band abounds in some of the best players that have been heard, many of them famous in Italy, and already attracting attention and wining fame in this country. No one can be a star in an organization which is so much dominated by the leader. No matter what the merits of individual performers, Creatore so far overshadows all else in the eyes of the public, that he alone is seen and cheered for the grand success which is attained.

LONG COURTSHIP

Favored by Methodist Episcopal Conference

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—After discussions lasting nearly a week the report of the committee on marriage and divorce was presented at the close of the 65th Rock River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here.

The report commended a long courtship—long enough to test the quality of love. The importance of the permanence of the marriage tie was emphasized as having a direct bearing on human development. The committee was unanimous in maintaining that a marriage was contracted until "death doth part".

The bond was declared to be indissoluble and never to be entered into irreverently or inadvisedly.

The principal contention that divided the committee was upon the question of recognizing as a candidate for second marriage the innocent party to a divorce decree. The decision was a compromise. A resolution was adopted to the effect that legislation ought to be adopted for the purpose of prohibiting the remarriage of the guilty matrimonial party to a divorce decree during the life time of the innocent party to the contention.

Stamping divorce as a species of selfishness, the report condemned the "free lover," who, "ninety-nine times out of a hundred seeks divorce that he may have more marriages".

The proper conception of matrimony was declared to be the basis of a pure and anticipatory life, as well as the best detriment from evil.

The conference voted to join with other churches in an attempt to secure the enaction of uniform divorce laws in every state.

FORTUNE GONE

ONCE GREAT SINGER IS IN POOR HOUSE.

BERLIN, Oct. 12, 3.50 p. m.—Fanny Moran-Olden, formerly one of the really great sopranos, who made a large fortune through her New York and other engagements, is in the poor house hospital at Munich, her health broken at 48, and her fortune spent largely, the newspapers assert, in promoting the musical career of her young husband, Theodore Bartram, baritone of the Royal Opera house. Musicians are raising a fund to give her a private room in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Heaton of Whitney avenue, who leave today for California, were presented a dozen silver spoons on Monday evening by Whitney avenue and Eighteenth street friends.

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LABOR UNIONS

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WILLING TO ACCEPT A FAIR PROPOSITION

Determined to Resist to the Last

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—By the action of the textile council Tuesday, the strike situation has now settled down to the same position it occupied before the conference with the manufacturers. Although willing to consider a fair proposition from the mill agents the labor leaders do not evince any expression of opinion that would lead one to believe that any proposition for a compromise will come from them, and it is doubtful if they will make any move to bring about a settlement. The determination of the operatives to resist to the last is apparently as strong as ever, and developments are repeatedly proving that the strength of the strike movement is badly underestimated by the manufacturers.

The decision of the textile council means that there will be nothing submitted to the various unions beyond the bare report of the delegates. The spinners hold a regular meeting tonight and the weavers tomorrow night, but no action of any kind is looked for unless it be a renewed expression to continue the struggle until the notices of reduction are taken down. Even if the recommendation should be made to the unions that the strike be declared off—and there is no possibility of such action under present conditions—it is very doubtful if enough operatives would return to the mills to enable them to run.

Labor leaders say they will be governed by the desires of the operatives and, this being so, the manufacturers have a long way to look ahead before absolute deprivation will lead the operatives to return to their work.

The weavers maintain that it is impossible for them to run the number of looms that manufacturers desire to press upon them even were they willing to do so and the manufacturers must certainly reckon with the weavers before they can hope to settle the strike.

Labor leaders believe that the change of mind on the part of the Seconnet and Bourne mills about trying to start up is due to one of two things, either caused by the fact that enough operatives could not be secured to warrant a successful opening or because the pressure of other manufacturers was too strong. It is claimed that officials of both mills scoured every part of the city in an attempt to induce operatives to take a chance with the machinery in the two plants.

Some of the additional collectors to be sent out by the United Textile Workers will leave tonight, and before another week all will be on their way to their respective collecting jurisdictions. If the new men do as well as those who have gone before, the support received will soon be sufficient to carry the strikers through the winter months.

Two of the unions held executive committee meetings Tuesday night. At the Spinners', the secretary rendered his report of the session of the Textile council. The sum of $1 was paid for one stoppage claim to a spinner from the King Philip mills and three other members from those mills, who had received their full stoppage allowance on account of their mates being thrown out, were placed on half benefits. It was decided to recommend to the general meeting that spinners employed in the yarn mills, whose mills are stopped, be made a grant of $2 per week for each week lost over two weeks. The members of the committee thought that inasmuch as the mules of these men were stopped and there is no stoppage rules to cover the case they should be paid, as it was not right that men should be out of work five or six weeks and get nothing while others are being placed on half pay. The executive committee will meet next Monday night instead of Tuesday night, because of the opening of the United Textile Workers' convention in Lowell on Tuesday next.

The Carders' executive committee met and transacted routine business. This afternoon the regular weekly meeting will be held, when the secretary will report on the strike situation.

Tonight, at the general meeting of the weavers, the report of the Textile council delegates will be submitted, also the reports of the Central Labor Union delegates and of the auditors. Delegates to attend the United Textile Workers' convention in Lowell will be elected, and two members will be chosen to serve on the executive committee. The question of amending the by-laws to make collectors ineligible to serve on the executive committee will also be brought up before the meeting.

Treasurer O'Donnell has received $50 from Al Haynes, $25 each from the Lowell and Lawrence Castle theatres, of which Mr. Haynes is proprietor. The weekly subscription of $5 from Quinlan Leary & Co. and $25 from the Workingmen's club of New Bedford were also received.

The local collections since Tuesday were: Electric light employes, $[illegible]; Ward One, $15.50; Manville, $[illegible]; New Bedford book, $20.10; Ward Two, $[illegible].

At the regular meeting of the New Bedford Weavers' union, held Tuesday evening, besides routine reports, the report of the organizer showed a slight gain in membership during the last month. The resolutions passed by the executive board condemning Governor Bates' attitude on the women and minors' bill were endorsed, and the board was instructed to send out circulars advising all textile operatives not to vote for Governor Bates. The sum of $200 was voted to the Fall River strikers—making a total of $1201 which the union has thus far sent to the strikers.

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WRECK AVERTED

Green Mountain Flyer Had Narrow Escape

BENNINGTON, Vt., Oct. 13.—A fortunate combination of circumstances undoubtedly prevented a terrible accident on the Rutland railroad yesterday afternoon. The "Green Mountain Flyer," south-bound left the rails at Arlington, 14 miles from here, but a badly damaged locomotive and a train load of thoroughly shaken-up passengers was the only result of the accident.

The flyer ordinarily goes through Arlington at high speed, but yesterday the engineer of the train had slowed down for a freight train which was taking a side track, thereby giving him right of way.

This having been accomplished, the train was once more gathering headway rapidly, probably travelling between thirty and thirty-five miles an hour, when the rails suddenly spread and the train dropped down upon the ties and ballast. Just beyond was another set of tracks upon which was standing a "dead" freight train.

The engineer applied his emergency brakes and brought his train to a standstill within a comparatively short distance. The wheels of the passenger cars, relieved of their accustomed support, slipped off upon the ballasted bridge, with the result that the cars were unable to retain their equilibrium and began to topple over. Fortunately the train had stopped before the line of freight cars had been passed and the coaches rested against the cars, the line of freight cars being the only obstruction between the derailed train and a steep embankment. The flyer comprised seven coaches and carried 350 passengers.

LADIES' NIGHT

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ENTERTAIN THEIR FAIR FRIENDS.

Associate hall was crowded last evening at the complimentary entertainment and dance given by Lowell council, Knights of Columbus, to their lady friends.

The entertainment was given by the Manning Glee and Minstrel club of Boston, 10 as clever and versatile performers as have appeared in Lowell in a long time.

The program was as follows:

PART I.

Hark, the Trumpet.....Dudley Buck
Glee Club.
Part Songs—a What I Have.....Bohm
b Fairest is She.....Nevin
Glee Club.
Tenor Solo—Those Pure Gray Eyes
Isadore Martinez
Mr. MacKenzie.
Tenor Solo—Winds in the Tree
Goreing Thomas
Mr. Whittaker.
Annie Laurie ..... Geibel
Glee Club.
Bass Solo—The Bandit's Life....Harper
Mr. Leonard.
Tinker's chorus from Robin Hood
DeKoven
Glee Club.
Queen of the Earth
Mr. Randall.
Toy Land ..... Victor Herbert
Solo by Mr. Randall.

PART II.

Half hour with the old time minstrels.
Interlocutor, Elmer Manning.
Bones, Elmer Millard.
Tambo, Fred H. Lawton.
Opening chorus.. .. ..Glee Club
Lindy Lou ..... Mr. Haddock
End Song—Miss Marie ....Mr. Millard
When the Sunset Turns the Ocean's Blue to Gold .....Mr. Crawford
End Song Cupid's Retreat
Mr. Lawton
Camp Meeting Song .....Mr. Lawton
Imitation slack wire balancing (in pantomime)
Messrs. Lawton and Millard

PART III.

Milk Maid Chorus (in Burlesque)
Glee Club

The Glee club members: Elmer H. Manning, director; Tenors, Robert MacKenzie, William E. Whittaker, Victor Crawford, Elmer Millard. Bassos, Frank T. Haddock, Russell Randall, Franklin Leonard, Fred H. Lawton Cazneau Litchfield, pianist. The numbers were all finely rendered and an encore was demanded in each case.

After the entertainment a dance order of 12 numbers was enjoyed to the tuneful music of the Cadet orchestra. During the evening it was announced that a meeting of the general carnival committee will be held at the council chambers on Tuesday evening, October 18th, at which a large attendance is desired. The officers of the dance were as follows:

Floor director, Thomas J. O'Donnell; assistant, James J. Brown; aids, T. F. McCarthy, D. T. Sullivan, Dr. D. A. O'Hearn, Dennis J. Murphy, T. F. Harrington, James E. Donnelly, W. C. Doherty, James T. O'Hearn, John J. Hanlon, C. L. Glnahine, John J. Sullivan, John R. Manley, W. F. Thornton, James J. Gallagher, Henry L. Rourke, W. F. Sullivan.

FORMER LOWELL MAN

GOT INTO TROUBLE WITH A CUSTOMER.

Sylvester T. Sparks, formerly of this city, has got into trouble in Haverhill through failure to produce a watch left at the store where he works to be repaired. The owner has had him arrested. The value of the watch is $35. Mr. Sparks, through counsel, asked a continuance till Oct. 22. It is expected that the matter will be settled before the case is called again. Mr. Sparks got a good recommendation and the case is not considered of much importance by the court.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Andrew Mungall, an overseer of the dyeing department of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, was united in marriage to Miss Lillian E. Austin, daughter of Mrs. Eliza Austin at the latter's home, 818 Merrimack street, last evening. The wedding ceremony being performed at 6.30 o'clock.

The interior of the house was decorated in an artistic manner, autumn leaves and smilax being in evidence everywhere. The parlor, where the wedding service was held, was decorated with smilax, autumn leaves and potted plants and beneath a canopy of vines the happy couple stood as the service was read.

The service was held at 6.30 o'clock, Rev. A. St. John Chambre, pastor of St. Anne's church, officiating. Present at the service were a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties, there being present friends from Lawrence, Manchester, Boston and Milltown, N. H.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white Peau de soie and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Attending the bride was Miss Inez Bourgeois, cousin of the bride, who was dressed in white Swiss muslin and carried American Beauty roses. The best man was Mr. William Campbell of Lawrence.

Wedding music was played by Master Harold and Miss Ernestine Lombard of Boston, on violin and piano. There were many gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Mungall.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and refreshments were served.

The reception lasted until 9 o'clock when special cars were taken by many of those who attended, to the Middlesex street station, the newly wedded couple taking their departure on the 9.15 train. They will be away for several weeks, and upon their return will live in West Bowers street.

The majority of the people present at the wedding were from Manchester and Lawrence, the latter place being the former home of the groom. A special car carried the Lawrence people to this city and at 9 o'clock the car took a party from the house in Merrimack street to the depot and back to the house. Shortly after 11 o'clock the members of the Lawrence party returned to their home in the same car.

GOLDSBOROUGH—MURPHY.

Henry Goldesborough and Mary Murphy were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. John J. McHugh. The best man was Mr. Patrick Kelley, and the bridesmaid was Miss Margaret Murphy, a sister of the bride.

HENDRY—SHEPHERD.

Miss Lillian Shepherd and Mr. Charles Hendry were married yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the residence of Rev. Smith T. Ford in Nesmith street. They were attended by Miss Mabel Shepherd and Mr. Walter Shepherd, brother and sister of the bride. Following the nuptial ceremony the wedding party repaired to the bride's home, 21 Middlesex Park, where a reception was held, after which the newly married couple departed on a wedding journey.

ROLL—GILL.

Edward Roll and Miss Mary Gill were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday afternoon at 5.30 o'clock by Rev. John J. McHugh. Mr. James Farrell was best man and Miss Winifred Gill was bridesmaid. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Roll left on a short honeymoon trip.

BRIERLEY—IRELAND.

Mr. Eugene Linwood Brierley and Miss Maud Louise Ireland were married last night at 6.30 o'clock by Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, pastor of the First Baptist church, at his residence in Nesmith street. The bride was attended by her niece, Miss Lillian G. Powers, and the best man was Mr. Arthur G. Clarke, a cousin of the groom. The bride wore steel grey silk and carried a shower bouquet of pinks. The bridesmaid wore white muslin de soie and carried a bouquet of pinks. Following the ceremony the newly wedded couple repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 775 Broadway, where a reception was held. They were the recipients of numerous beautiful and costly presents. They left on the 9.15 train for a honeymoon trip. Friends were present from South Hanson, South Braintree, Wilmington. The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a handsome gold bracelet, and the groom's gift to the best man was a diamond pin. The house was decorated with autumn leaves.

RIDDICK—FELCH.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Felch, 40 East Pine street, yesterday afternoon, their daughter, Gertrude A. Felch, was united in wedlock to Mr. Herbert Riddick in the presence of immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The room in which the nuptial rites were celebrated was beautifully decorated with autumn foliage, including mountain ash berries. As the bridal party entered the parlor Miss Eva Pratt performed on the piano strains from Lohengrin's wedding march. The happy couple stood beneath an improvised arch as the words were pronounced by Rev. George F. Kemgott which made them man and wife. Mr. Joseph Heartsote was best man and Miss Bertha Hazelton acted as bridesmaid. The bride was becomingly attired in an exquisite gown of white satin, and the bridesmaid was gowned in pale blue satin. Following the marriage ceremony a sumptuous wedding repast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Riddick were made the recipients of a rich array of costly presents, including silverware and other articles useful as well as ornamental. The happy couple went to points of interest in the Granite state on their honeymoon. They will on their return reside at 291 Smith street and be at home to their friends after November 1.

JONES—RICHARDSON.

Miss Mabel Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson of Pelham, and Mr. Albert Jones, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride. Rev. Joseph L. Hoyle, pastor of the Pelham Congregational church, was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Jones belongs in Pelham, where he is well and favorably known. Mr. Guy Richardson, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Clara Jones, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. The wedding took place at 5 o'clock, after which there was a reception to relatives and friends. There were many out-of-town people present. The wedding gifts were numerous and useful. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left for a brief honeymoon trip. They will reside in Pelham.

DICKSON—PHILBRICK.

Miss Edith E. Philbrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Philbrick of 226 Methuen street, and Mr. Charles E. Dickson of Newport, R. I., formerly of this city, were married last night at the home of the bride. The ceremony took place at 7.30 o'clock and was performed by Rev. J. A. McKnight of the First Congregational church of Dracut. Mr. Thomas A. Dickson, brother of the groom, was best man. The maid of honor was Miss Lillian Garland. The ushers were Mr. Sidney Graham of Newport and Mr. Walter Tarr of this city. The bride wore white liberty silk over white taffeta. She carried a spray of white chrysanthemums. The bridesmaid wore white china silk and carried pink chrysanthemums. The decorations throughout the house were very pretty. In the drawing-room, where the ceremony took place, white and yellow chrysanthemums, roses and carnations were arranged among autumn colored leaves and greenery. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts. After the wedding there was a reception, which was very largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson left on the 9 o'clock train for Boston. The future home of the newly married people will be in Newport, R. I., where Mr. Dickson is employed. Among the out-of-town people present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dearborn of Melrose; Mr. Sidney Graham of Newport, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Dickson of Newport, R. I.; Mrs. Flather of Nashua; Mr. Austin Casey of Pittsburg, Pa., formerly of this city; Miss Lucy Philbrick of Windham, N. H.

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Corrected to June 27, 1904. Trains leave Merrimack street depot Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.22, x6.45, 7.40, *8.50, 9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.06, 6.2[illegible], *6.35, x8.40, w6.50, 7.01, 7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, 9.33, w10.50, 11.07, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.15, 1.41, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, *6.12, w6.16, 7.04, *7.20, 8.12, w9.15 p. m.; SUNDAYS 6.39, 7.21, 8.15, 8.45, 5.20 p. m.; w12.10, 3.25, w3.55, 5.25, w6.30, *8.12, *7.20, w8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.2[illegible], w6.50, x7.31, w8.35, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.15, (w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.15, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.15, p. m. SUNDAYS 8.15, a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, [illegible] (1.30, x3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.05 p. m.

For Haverhill, Bradford, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 5.00 p. m. until September 16, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 5.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06, p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Waterville, Rockland and way stations [illegible] 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06, p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.10 to Lewiston only, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and way stations, 8.30 a. m.; [illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (Sleeper leaves last run Saturdays) SUNDAYS [illegible] p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Cape Cod points, Isle Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Sorrento and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday [illegible] 5.06 p. m.

For Wel[illegible] 6.28, 7.04, 7.31, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.42, [illegible] 12 p. m. SUNDAYS 8.48 a. m. [illegible] p. m.

For [illegible] between Winchester and Boston, [illegible] Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 8.32 [illegible] m.; 1.11, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22, 5.20 [illegible] SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.27, 8.46, 5.20 p. m.

For Arlington, [illegible] Way Stations 7.07, 11.55 [illegible] and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS [illegible]

For Ashland and Milford, 9.05 a. m.; [illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, [illegible]

For [illegible] Fitchburg, Bennington, [illegible] 9.03 a. m.; 3.10 [illegible] SUNDAYS, [illegible]

For [illegible] and Concord, [illegible] 10.20 a. m.; 12.00, 1.40, [illegible] (N. Penacook only) 4.07, 5.20, [illegible] (Nashua only) a. m. [illegible] a. m.; *12.00, 2.00, [illegible]

For [illegible] Mt. Div., 7.30, *3.50 [illegible]

For [illegible] Colrain, White River [illegible] m.; 12.00, *1.38, 7.30, [illegible]

For [illegible] Swanzey, Newport and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.30, *5.30 p. m.

For [illegible] and Londonderry via Windham, [illegible] m.; *10.10 p. m.

For Manchester, Concord, Laconia, Plymouth and Littleton Junction, Burlington, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont R. R. [illegible] 10.30 a. m.; *10.10 p. m.

For Montreal and points north, Quebec, via Montreal [illegible] *10.20 a. m.; *10.10 p. m. [illegible] EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Rotland Junction. [illegible] Saturdays only. [illegible] Wilmington Junction.

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WANTED—To hire two good pool tables. Address A. M., Sun office.

WANTED—Lady cashier, state experience, best of references required. Address J. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—A young girl to mind children and help to do light housework in small family, good home. Mrs. Brophy, 57 Andover st.

WANTED—A table girl at Mrs. Coffins, 212 Suffolk st.

WANTED—Experienced loopers on hosiery, steady job. Knitting Co., 116 Fletcher st.

WANTED—A tin and sheet iron worker. Apply to J. W. Stewart, 359 Bridge st.

WANTED—Men. Apply at office of the American Mason Safety Tread Co., Perry street.

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WANTED—Woman to do pastry cooking at Putnam's Dining Rooms.

WANTED—A table girl at once. Apply at Mrs. Lombard's, 21 Bradford st.

WANTED—A lady to care for children and help do light housework in small family. Apply at wood yard, 23 Concord st.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. New System. Transportation furnished applicants. Eight weeks complete full course. Anyone can learn. Tools donated. Diplomas awarded. Positions guaranteed graduates. For free catalogue, address Moler's Representative, 295 Washington street, Boston.

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WANTED—A good second hand single or double barreled shot gun, 34 Rock st.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold locket, chain and small ring, between Blossom st. and Chelmsford Centre. Reward at 161 Blossom st.

FOUND—A dog. Owner can have by proving property and paying for adv. at 94 Jackson st.

LOST—A wrist bag on Medford car or in Merrimack square, containing pocketbook. Look also sum of money and a few other small articles. Finder rewarded by returning same to Sun Office.

LOST—A pair of eye glasses between Congress st. and the Bunting mill. Reward at 137 Congress street.

LOST—Between Grand, Westford, Howard streets and Pike's market, a pocketbook containing sum of money. Reward 104 Grand st.

$30 REWARD—Lost in the Lawrence section, Tremont & Suffolk mills a wallet containing money, the finder returning it to the watchman Tremont & Suffolk mills will receive the above reward.

LOST—A $2 bill Thursday. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Sun Office.

FOUND—Gold watch chain last Saturday, the owner can have by calling at Sun Office and paying for this adv.

LOST—A gold watch charm inscribed with owner's name, between 469 Market street and Associate building. Reward will be paid by Harry Demaras, 469 Market st.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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TO LET—Modern tenement of 7 rooms. Hot and cold water. Apply at 25 Varney st.

TO LET—A 3-room flat in excellent repair for two in family. Inquire 32 Franklin st.

TO LET—Tenement suitable for boarding house at corner Church and Lawrence streets. Inquire at A. Robinson's Provision store, 181 Church street.

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE—Bay pacer, mark of eighteen, pneumatic tired runabout and democrat wagon. Inquire at 45 Bon Marche building.

MISCELLANEOUS

SALVATION ARMY, Shattuck st., Rummage sale, Saturday, October 15th, from 9.30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

MRS. CLARA ADAMS, clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opposite Court house.

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DENTS NO

HE ROBBED SAFES

James Lee Admits 14 Breaks and Implicates Adams

BOSTON, Oct. 13—In the arrest early yesterday morning of James A. Lee, a negro machinist, 25 years old, whose address the police have thus far refused to divulge, except that it is in South Boston, the mystery of a great many cases of safe robbery in Boston during the past six months has apparently been solved. Lee yesterday confessed to 14 cases in which he had an active part. His confederate, he said, was George F. Adams, alias Gilbert Morse, alias Herbert Morse, alias George Wilson, who is now in the East Cambridge jail awaiting trial on the charge of having burglar tools in his possession.

Adams was arrested by Patrolman Elwell of Medford a few nights ago. Elwell discovered signs of burglary in O'Brien's tailor shop in that city. As he entered the place a man ran away and Chief Watts says that this man was Lee. Elwell, however, did not chase the running man, but in his inspection of the tailor shop he found Adams hiding under a table. A complete set of burglar tools, pronounced to be a very fine make, was found in the store.

Chief Watts for several months has had both Adams and Lee under suspicion. Many weeks ago he received information which caused him to keep an eye on the residence of the men in the South End. Chief Watts frankly admitted last night that the vigilance of the Medford police had robbed him of an excellent capture, but declared taht if Adams had not been arrested when he was, the Boston police would have very soon arrested both men.

In his confession yesterday Lee admitted having drilled the safes in the following places:

D. Sweeney, 299 Tremont street, April 9.

Grand Opera house, May 1.

Worcester creamery, 49 Berkeley street, June 13.

Emerson & Brando, provision dealers, 691 Tremont street, June 14.

Cudahy packing company, Clinton street, July 22.

Marshall Johnson & Sons, 27 Faneuil Hall square, July 26.

Lyon Bros., 72 Federal street, Aug. 3.

George B. Hugo, 147 Shawmut avenue, Aug. 17.

Renick Bros., Main street, Charlestown, Aug. 22.

James F. Kimball, 37 Fulton street, Sept. 10.

George B. Grant, 391 Harrison avenue, Sept. 15.

Ricker's pool room, Pleasant street, Sept. 20.

Lyons Bros., 597 Atlantic avenue, Oct. 2.

Bunker Hill carriage company, 539 Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, Oct. 3.

At one time Adams, Lee's alleged partner, was employed as a teamster for James F. Kimball, proprietor of one of the stores which he broke into. Lee admitted that he had known Adams, who is white, for a long time. They had been schoolmates.

Adams has served sentences in the Concord reformatory and also in the state prison on charges of having burglar tools in his possession. Ever since he was released from state prison Lee admits they have been inseparable. They worked various burglaries without assistance from anyone else. They obtained the necessary tools from different places, Lee said, and Chief Watts says that the tools are among the best he has ever seen.

When Adams was arrested in Medford the kit of tools found consisted of a sectional jimmy, which contained countersunk holes, numerous drills, a fine bitstock, wrench, ratchet drill, steel punches, brace, a clutch and a block of wood which was fashioned to aid the implements in drilling the lock of a safe.

HAD A UNIQUE OUTFIT.

"While these two burglars," said Chief Watts last night, "got very little money in their numerous breaks, they certainly had the most unique outfit I ever heard of. Mind you, they never used explosives. Their system was to drill about the lock of the safe door and so wreck the mechanism that they could readily throw the bolt from the outside. Therefore they made no noise and for that reason escaped detection for a long period.

"Lee explained to me yesterday the method of operation on a safe door. In drilling the lock a method devised by himself and Adams was used. A block of wood, a jimmy, a ratchet and a drill were combined into a mechanical appliance which even the stoutest safe door was hardly able to withstand. The apparatus was so arranged that the jimmy gave increased pressure upon the ratchet when it was in operation. When the holes were drilled into the lock a punch was inserted and by hammering the punch they destroyed the lock. This permitted them to throw the bolts and open the safe.

"Besides the ingenious method which these men employed in breaking open safes and their entrance into buildings was often very curious. They did not always succeed in opening the safes. For instance, at Kimball's place on Fulton street, after they mounted the fire escape, entered a window, descended to the safe and drilled it, something happened which they had not reckoned upon. They drilled the safe door, but when they attempted to destroy the lock a piece of metal dropped into the combination in such a way that it prevented the bolt from being thrown back when the handle was turned. So they gave up the attempt without securing anything.

"When they entered Sweeney's place on April 9 they first got into a vacant floor above the store. They cut their way through a partition and tackled the safe. After they laboriously drilled the door through and had wasted their strength in the effort to demolish the lock, they discovered that the safe had not been locked. The bookkeeper had forgotten to throw the lock. The burglars got only a few dollars. When they left they forgot to take a saw which was a part of their kit.

WHY THEY CARRIED A SAW.

"I might explain why they needed a saw by referring to a break in the store of Emerson & Brando on June 14, when they secured $34. In this case the burglars sawed a hole through the ceiling from the floor above. With an auger they bored a number of holes through floor and ceiling, covering an area large enough to admit of their dropping through to the apartment below. After the holes were bored the saw was brought into play and the intervening woodwork was all removed.

"At Renick Bros. in Charlestown, too, the saw was used. They got $100 there. When Lee was telling me about getting into this place through the floor above he paused in his narrative and chuckled. 'Gee,' he said, 'that was the biggest drop I ever took. When I fell through that hole I thought I was going down 100 feet. I thought I'd never reach the bottom.'

"'Well, how did you get out?' I asked him. 'At first I thought I couldn't get out, but after we got through with the safe I happened to find a stepladder, and it just reached the hole. So we crawled out the way we came in.'

"From these different breaks we have collected quite a lot of tools which the burglars left behind them in their hasty departure. In the office of the Cudahy packing company a steel drill was found which had been broken in the effort to enter the safe. That shows the tremendous force which the burglars were able to exert by the mechanical contrivance they had devized. At the place of George B. Hugo several twisted drills were found.

GOOD DETECTIVE WORK.

"I want to say that the arrest of Lee I consider one of the best cases of detective work that has occurred in Boston for a long time. Inspectors Morrissey, Burr, Cronin, Conway and Kelley have all worked incessantly in the effort to clear up these peculiar cases. We knew after several of these breaks had been committed that the work was being done by the same men; the jobs were all so similar. We also had a good idea that the men we had under suspicion were the burglars, but we did not wish to hurry the arrest. We hoped to get the most positive evidence before taking them into custody. The slip they made at Medford put an end for the time being to our part in the case. Now we know that the man who escaped when Adams was arrested was Lee."

One piece of evidence which the Boston police discovered had a peculiar influence in convincing the authorities that Lee was implicated with Adams in the buglaries. In the Medford break a knife was left behind. After Adams' arrest Chief Watts was interested to talk with him. He readily recognized him as having served time in the state prison and in the Concord reformatory. Thinking that more than two men were implicated in the burglary, Watts sent his inspectors to find out with whom Adams associated. Adams lived in the house kept by a man who had been a fellow employe at Kimball's. Lee lived there at the same time. The inspectors who worked on that branch of the case could not discover that Adams had any particular associate besides Lee. They carried the knife found in the Medford store to the man with whom Adams and Lee had boarded and asked him whose it was. He said unhesitatingly that it was Lee's.

Lee was then arrested. He was brought to headquarters at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. He was found by Inspector Burr on Harrison avenue in Chinatown. For certain reasons the fact of his arrest was suppressed by the police.

Adams may be brought to Suffolk county to be jointly tried with Lee. He has not yet admitted anything.

COMMUTE SENTENCE

BILL IN FAVOR OF MRS. ROGERS.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 12—The Farmers' Legislative league of Vermont held its annual meeting last night. S. W. Butterfield of Weatherfield was elected president, H. B. Galusha of Royalton secretary, H. N. Davis of Randolph treasurer, Dana Morse of Randolph, George Atkins of Woodstock and Senator G. W. Pierce of Brattleboro, executive committee.

In a legislature of 276 senators and representatives this league has a membership of more than 150. Its object is to secure legislation unfavorable to the farmers of Vermont. It will hold weekly meetings during the session of the legislature to consider and discuss bills that have been introduced.

Representative Archibald of Manchester introduced in the house yesterday a bill commuting to life imprisonment the death sentence of Mary Rogers of Bennington. Mr. Archibald was counsel for Mrs. Rogers, who was convicted at the last December term of Bennington county court of murder in the first degree in killing her husband and was sentenced to be hanged by Judge J. H. Watson. It is intimated that when this bill is reached in committee room it will be shown that evidence has been discovered since the trial that Mrs. Rogers on an occasion before the one on which she was tried, attempted to do away with her husband.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that a bill was introduced in the legislature yesterday substituting life imprisonment for the death penalty in cases where there is a conviction of murder in the first degree and 30 years' imprisonment for murder in the second degree.

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CAUSED POVERTY

Sad Result in Waggaman Case

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13.—The statement of assets of Thomas E. Waggaman, ex-treasurer and member of the board of trustees of the Catholic university of America, which is in the hands of Andrew Y. Bradley, referee in bankruptcy, is being given to the public on the instalment plan. The more the public and the creditors learn of the assets the worse they feel. There are thousands of creditors, and they have all employed lawyers to try and get as much of their money back as possible.

"In my opinion the creditors of Thos. E. Waggaman will not receive 15 cents on the dollar at the outside," declared one of the most prominent attorneys of the local bar yesterday afternoon. "This conclusion I reached after a very careful investigation of Mr. Waggaman's affairs, into which I proceeded as far as was possible. A number of other lawyers connected with the case, with whom I have conferred, agree with me. This affair is a most appalling one, and the creditors should be made to realize the true position as soon as possible. I am firmly convinced that the value Mr. Waggaman has placed on his assets, as set in his schedule, is something like 10 times what it ought to be."

The City hall is almost encircled by the offices of attorneys for Waggaman creditors. All of these lawyers who could be found today spoke in the same strain as did the individual quoted. As they look into the cases of their clients they say they grow more and more astonished.

Each lawyer seen yesterday had many instances of interest to relate. As the result of the Waggaman failure it was asserted that at least one aged woman already has had to go to almshouse, there to spend the remainder of her days. A workingman with a large family dependent on him is said to be at death's door through worry and final collapse, all of his small savings having been placed in Mr. Waggaman's hands. The situation, so far as a large portion of the community is concerned, seems to be truly tragic.

Among the pathetic features of the case are the losses which, it is said, have been sustained by orphan girls. It was explained today that at St. Ann's Infant Asylum, among others, girls in its care attained the proper age they are sent out to sew and perform other duties and work. By the hardest kind of labor they accumulated pittances, which they turned over to those conducting the institution for safekeeping.

In order that some sort of an income might be realized for the benefit of the parentless girls, the money was intrusted to Mr. Waggaman for safe investment. This money is now included with the other liabilities. Other incidents of the same general character are heard on all sides.

One of the largest, if not the largest, creditors of Mr. Waggaman is the Catholic university of America. It is a creditor to the extent of nearly $900,000. A careful investigation has been made of the securities offered by Mr. Waggaman for this amount, with the result that it is learned that the securities are appraised at only about $100,000.

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DROPPED A BOMB

Man Wanted to Kill His Wife

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Henry Hogancamp, a miner, went to Richard Odell's saloon last evening and asked to see Margaret Marr, alleged to be his wife. The woman left him three weeks ago and went to cook in the saloon.

Hogan asked the woman to return to him and she refused. He dropped a paper covered parcel he was carrying and a ten-foot section of the side wall was blown into the street. The police and firemen responded to the alarm and both were dragged from the ruins. Hoganeamp had his eyes blown out. The woman had the flesh torn off her arms to the bone. She was conscious for a short time. She could give no other information than that the man dropped his package. He will die. No one was in the room with the pair. The adjoining building was wrecked somewhat. The police do not know what sort of explosive was used.

TWELFTH BIRTHDAY

MISS ANNA CURRY ENTERTAINED YOUNG FRIENDS.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curry in Highland avenue, North Chelmsford, was the scene of a delightful social time Tuesday evening, the occasion being the twelfth anniversary of the birth of their little daughter, Miss Anna.

In honor of the event a large number of the little friends of the young lady had assembled and assisted most admirably in making the happy occasion one never to be forgotten. Miss Curry was assisted in receiving by Miss Rose McEnaney, and as each little one entered he or she tendered a slight token of esteem, among which were many valuable gifts. Among the presents received was a beautiful watch and pin from her brother, John J. Curry. An entertainment of an informal character was enjoyed, with piano solos by Misses Gertrude Quigley, Esther Pope and Elizabeth Donoghue. Vocal solos of a most pleasing nature were rendered by Miss May McCoy and Master Walter McCoy. Light refreshments were dispensed to the little ones, while games and other indoor diversions were indulged in. At a seasonable hour the gathering dispersed, wishing the charming little hostess many returns of the day.

SILK O'LOUGHLIN

WELL KNOWN UMPIRE NOMINATED FOR SENATE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 13.—"Silk" O'Loughlin, the American league umpire, was yesterday unanimously nominated for the state senate by the democrats of the second district of Monroe county. His chances of election are thought to be very good.

OFFICER FLANAGAN

CHOSEN DIRECTOR OF THE POLICE ASSOCIATION.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—The largest convention in the history of the Massachusetts Police association, with respect to the number of delegates in attendance, convened in this city yesterday. It was the fourth annual meeting, and 66 delegates were reported before the noon adjournment. Through the courtesy of Justice John J. McDonough of the second district court, the session was held in the court room.

The delegates coming to this city by train were met at the depot by a committee consisting of Captain Doherty and Lieutenant Devine, and they were escorted into the court room by Lieutenants Mahoney and Milton and Patrolmen Tierney and Greenshaw, who were on special duty.

Soon after 1.30 the delegates were called to order by President William H. Batchelder, deputy chief of the Cambridge department. Lieutenant John Keam of the Cambridge force officiated as secretary. A committee on credentials was appointed, of which Patrick M. McGlynn of this city was chairman, which reported that 50 delegates were present. Subsequently seven others were accepted by the convention.

President Batchelder delivered an address of welcome to the members, reviewing the work accomplished by the association in its short period of existence. The following committees were then appointed:

Insurance—Patrick H. Doherty, Fall River; Fred Cannon, Chicopee; Frank L. Remington, New Bedford; David M. Hudson, Chelsea; James H. McKenney, Waltham; Louis R. Heaton, Malden and James Maher, Malden.

Organized capital tax—James Cash, Taunton; Thomas L. McKenney, Lynn; H. O. Irving, Fitchburg; John J. McBride, Cambridge; Edward F. Flanagan, Lowell; Charles F. McDermott, Woburn; William J. Quilty, Springfield.

On resolution of officers William Barber, Lawrence; Charles H. Allen, Springfield; William M. Mullen, Cambridge; Daniel P. Sweeney, New Bedford; Michael E. Shelly, Fall River; Edward H. Flaherty, Fitchburg and John H. Crowley, Lowell.

The convention took a recess shortly after two to attend a banquet at Associate Langford, which had been provided by the local association.

At the afternoon session the following officers were elected: President, Daniel P. Sweeney, New Bedford; vice president, Henry T. Ryan, Haverhill; secretary, James W. Keaney, Cambridge; treasurer, Christopher H. Fox, Boston.

PROBATE COURT—Judge Lawton.

Wills presented for allowance, Oct. 11: J. [illegible] Belmont; Mary Wheeler, Lowell; [illegible] Newton; Asunath Bailey, Belmont; Edward Slavin, Natick; John Nixon, Cambridge; Eben Robinson, Townsend; Mary Stow, Cambridge; H. F. [illegible], Melrose; Emily Everett, Cambridge; F. M. Poor, Somerville; Mary [illegible] Stoneham; Rhoda King, Holliston; Emma Mance, Watertown; W. [illegible], Keene, N. H.; Ephraim Taylor, [illegible]; Mary Anderson, Malden.

Administrators: W. E. Messer, Ayer; [illegible] Sullivan, Benwood, W. Va.; S. H. Williams, Malden; Ellen Poor, Somerville; G. H. S. Brown, Stow; Harriet [illegible], Malden; Sarah Griffin, Concord; [illegible] Rondick, Somerville; Elizabeth Mahoney, Medford; Lora Hartwell, Chelmsford; Euphemia Capen, Framingham; H. [illegible] O'Connor, Ashland; A. D. Wyman, Cambridge; Elizabeth Barry, Somerville; Michael Sullivan, Melrose; Mary [illegible], Wakefield; Maude Burker, Malden; [illegible] Beckman, Cambridge; E. W. [illegible], Lowell; Anna Royal, Wakefield; [illegible] Shanahan, Lowell; Michael Drinkwater, Peabody; Elizabeth Gosch, Holbrook; Mary Thissell, Dracut; Nellie [illegible], Reading; Mary Conn, Woburn; George Alley, Watertown.

CHILDREN DEAD

As Result of Eating Decayed Fruit

NEEDHAM, Mass., Oct. 12—Two children of Mrs. Mary Connell, who lives in Needham near the Newton line, are dead and two others have narrowly escaped fatal results from eating decayed fruit. Last week, the children visited a place, where fruit peddlers are accustomed to leave such material as is not salable and finding a quantity of grapes, ate them. On Friday, Caroline, four years old, was seized with convulsions. She died four hours later. Christina, 6 years old, became ill on Saturday and died in convulsions on Sunday.

PREACHER'S LOVE

GIRL SAYS THAT IT HAS COOLED.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Oct. 12.—Ardent letters formed the greater part of the testimony in the $50,000 suit brought by Miss Gertrude Koch of Allentown against the Rev. Edgar J. Hellman, pastor of Grace Evangelical Lutheran church at Wyndmoor, charging him with breaking his pledge to her. The case went to the jury yesterday.

Miss Koch, who was the first witness called, is a tall, handsome brunette. J. F. Mills, counsel for the defendant, said that to expedite matters the defence would admit the engagement and breach of promise. The story of the meeting and acquaintance of the pair followed. After some objection several letters from the defendant were read. One said:

My Own Dear Blanche: I am sure that nobody was more in love than I am with you. When I read your last letter I was pretty nearly beside myself when I thought that maybe you did not care so much for me. Now that I am down here, away from you, you may forget me. Then, too, I know that I am not worthy of you. If we were married I could have you down here with me, but as it is I get so lonely I sometimes want to cry.

Last night I had the most delightful dream. I thought you were with me, but when I awoke I found it was all a dream. I am trying, oh, so hard, to make something out of myself; something you can be proud of.

This was only a small part of a letter that wound up with the words: "For love like ours can never die. It will endure even beyond the grave."

Following this, Mr. Dewalt read another letter:

My Dear Blanche: Justice to both of us demands that I should write and tell you what I am at last compelled to admit that I no longer love you. This conviction has been growing steadily for the past year, and, though I had tried to make myself believe that it is not so, I finally am forced to tell you.

I do not blame you—far from it; you are a noble, high souled, Christian girl, and I shall always esteem you highly. I do not know whom or what to blame. It has just come about that my love has waned. You will probably be very angry, but you cannot blame me more than I blame myself, nor will you suffer more than I do.

In a letter written three days later, after Hellman had received the girl's reply to his other communication, he told her he thought she was "taking the affair too seriously."

AMERICAN BOARD

OFFICERS NOMINATED BY PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE.

GRINNELL, Ia., Oct. 13.—All the officers of the American board of foreign missions were nominated by the prudential committee yesterday and will be elected as recommended. The officers will be: President, Samuel B. Capen; treasurer, Frank L. Wiggins; secretaries, James T. Barton and Judson Smith; secretary home department, Cornelius Patton.

The annual survey of the work of the board contained the following:

Work has been carried on in 1692 places, in all fields. The number of missionaries is 570. There are 4179 native Christian laborers engaged with them in the work of education and evangelization. Twenty-three new churches have been organized, making the present total 558, with a membership of 62,123. These churches added 5708 new members last year by profession of faith. There are over 70,000 pupils in the Sunday schools. There are 11 theological schools and 18 collegiate institutions, in which there are 2345 students in training, with nearly 7000 in high and boarding schools and nearly 44,000 in village schools. The total number of pupils under instruction in all the institutions of the board is 70,818, an increase of more than 3000 during the year. The natives contributed $173,184 for the work.

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Best Rump and Sirloin	15c to 18c Lb
Corn Beef	5c to 7c Lb
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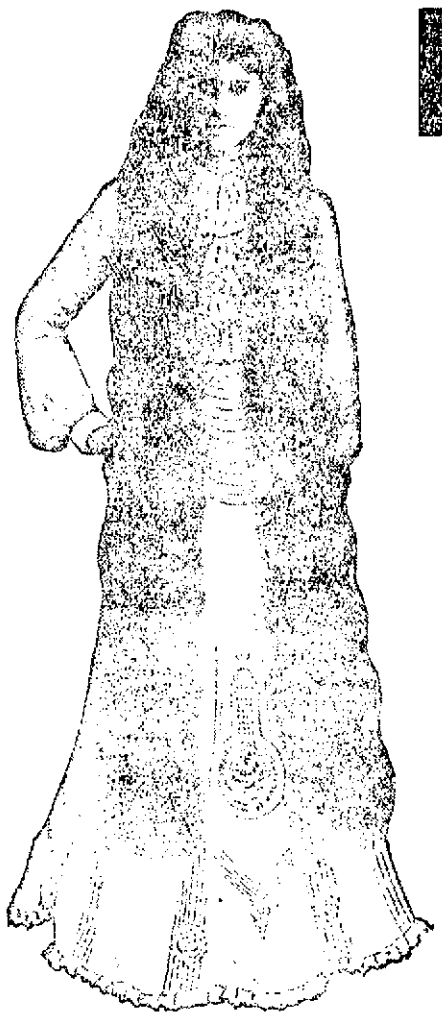

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APPEAL FOR MONEY TO BUY VOTES.

The republicans have sent out their appeal for funds to the magnates of Wall street. It is tacitly understood that this appeal is for money to buy votes. The republicans with the aid of the trusts are out to purchase the presidency as they have on many previous occasions. The trusts give the money on condition that they shall enjoy certain privileges, such as the shelter of a high tariff wall that saves them absolutely from foreign competition. They then fix prices as high as they please and extort as much as they please from the people. Thus instead of a free republic we have a trustocracy made up of a combination of the trusts and the republican party.

IT IS NOW SENATOR CRANE.

The vacancy in the United States senate, caused by the death of Senator Hoar, has been temporarily filled by the appointment of Ex-Governor Winthrop Murray Crane. Although not an orator, Ex-Governor Crane stands high in the estimation of Massachusetts voters. He succeeded a gifted orator as governor of the state and proved an able executive. As senator he will also take the place of a great orator, and it is safe to predict that his lack of the gift of oratory will be fully compensated for by his superior administrative ability. It is quite probable that the governor's selection in this case will meet the ready endorsement of the next legislature.

SWINGING OVER TO PARKER.

Here is an extract from a letter of an old Fremont republican addressed to Mr. James W. Pryor, secretary of the Parker Independent club of New York. It expresses the sentiment held by many republicans throughout the country:

Dear Sir:—Yours of September 30th suggesting that I become a member of a Parker Independent Club received with thanks. I beg in reply to say, as a republican voter from the days of Fremont down to the present, I am and have been a republican; that I find myself in opposition to the nomination and election of Mr. Roosevelt, and I regard his re-election as a menace to the liberties and constitutional rights of the people. And God knows what he might undertake to do should he find himself again chosen for president. In time of profound peace he is for warlike expenditure and enormous taxation, now too excessive and burdensome in nation and state.

I am now 70 years of age, and have not seen the average man so poor in money for a long time.

I hope and believe that Judge Parker will be chosen by the electors on November 8th, in the hope and the confident belief that the great ship of state, under his command may be, and will be guided by constitution law, as laid down by our fathers and not by Roosevelt's whims and unscrupulous methods.

In this vicinity there are about 100 disaffected republicans.

Yours truly, (Signed)
A. P. BLANCHARD.

This is the sentiment that is bringing republicans over to the support of Parker in every part of the country.

AS TO RECIPROCITY.

"Reciprocity a Dream," is the heading of an editorial in the Citizen yesterday. Well, if it be a dream today it was not so considered in 1896, when the republican party in its platform declared that "the repeal of reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations and secure enlarged markets for the products of our farms, forests and factories. Protection and reciprocity are twin measures of republican policy and go hand in hand. Democratic rule has recklessly struck down both and both must be reestablished."

If reciprocity were but "a dream" it is rather strange that the republican party should pronounce its abrogation a national calamity. Seldora du dreams take on such a serious aspect.

We have here the promise and pledge of the republican party in 1896, but it is yet unfulfilled—like a great many other republican promises.

When the Dingley law was passed the republican party held out the hope to the country that a series of reciprocity treaties would be negotiated and an express provision for a reduction of 20 per cent. in its enormous duties was purposely inserted with the understanding that the treaties would follow. The Dingley law went into effect, and when the trusts found that the high duties gave them absolute protection from competition they raised a howl against any further reciprocity treaties and the republicans acquiesced in the demands of the trusts.

President McKinley through his commissioner, Mr. Kasson, negotiated a number of reciprocity treaties with foreign countries. They were submitted to the senate and there pigeonholed, never to be heard of again.

Senator Lodge, like other republican bosses, became the leader of the opposition to reciprocity. Like his party at first he said he favored it and then he said he didn't, unless a brand of reciprocity could be obtained that would not affect any American industry. In other words he wanted a reciprocity measure on which all the concessions would be on one side. Here then was a palpable breach of faith.

The Cuban reciprocity treaty was a final compromise between the friends and enemies of reciprocity. In order to make it the the last reciprocity treaty, after the treaty was ratified by Cuba, the republicans inserted an amendment which Cuba did not ask for, to the effect that no treaty should be made with other nations which involved a reduction of sugar duties. That single clause killed all the treaties then pending in the senate with one exception.

That was a capitulation to the sugar trust. Thus ended that great policy which the republicans boasted would give us the markets of the world.

The extra margin which was to be bargained away by treaties is held fast by the protection sharks who are unwilling to let go the power of stamping out competition in the commodities in which they deal.

Now with a reciprocity treaty with Canada we can secure the trade of that growing colony. We can get the advantage of its vast forests, its supply of pulp for the manufacture of paper and other products with benefit to American agriculture, manufactures, mining and commerce.

Our exports to Canada have steadily increased since 1873 until at present the Dominion is our third largest customer, while our imports from Canada, owing to the prohibitive tariff wall, have increased but little. Our exports to Canada for the fiscal year of 1904 aggregated $121,274,346. Our imports in the same year were but $3,090,000 more than in 1896 or $31,196,625. In 1903 the exports of Canada to Great Britain amounted to $125,199,666.

Canada, owing to her disappointment in getting reciprocity concessions from the United States has made a reduction of 33⅓ per cent. in her tariff rates on British imports except liquors, medicines, tobacco, cigars and a few other things. Thus we are losing the trade of Canada. To get it back and hold it we have but to make reciprocal concessions which will be beyond question as beneficial to the United States as to Canada.

The Citizen admits that reciprocity would benefit New England at the expense of the rest of the country. What helps New England industrially will help the country as a whole. Reciprocity would help the people, although it might hurt a few of the trusts and just at present the republican party is doing nothing to offend the trusts.

SEEN AND HEARD

Some men are like rainbows—they show up when the storm is over.

Those snowflakes and the coolness of the atmosphere yesterday rather made a fellow consider what disposition he had made of his summer wages.

Unless a fellow is very resourceful it is pretty hard for him to pave his way to riches on a salary of a dozen dollars a week.

"Johnnie" Booth, the well-known operator of this city, is ill in a hospital in Boston. His friends in the newspaper business in this city hope for his speedy recovery.

Some fellow whom somebody contributed work, quoting said that the road to Hades was paved with good intentions. If that is the case it strikes us that that particular road would be a good one for an automobile race.

Frequently invitations to attend outings or other affairs, with the inscription: "P. S. Please have your pencil and notebook at home" on the invitation are received at newspaper offices. That "P. S." is a polite way of asking for a two or three column write-up.

John J. Sullivan, the well-known tailor, has introduced one of the best ad. souvenirs that has been sent out for some time. It is an aluminum ruler twelve inches long and the reverse side contains a list of the fire alarm boxes. It is cleverly gotten up and should find a place on every desk.

The Lowell football team has great confidence in young McQuade, the hustling quarter-back. He is a plucky player and has his head about him all the time. This is necessary for the quarter-back is the one who gives all the signals and figures out the plays during the game. McQuade seems to fill the bill all right.

The last couple of weeks have been pretty dull for some of the local undertakers. One undertaker informed the writer that it wasn't the loss of business that he was afraid of, but it was the fact that unless there were more deaths the daily increase in the population might in the near future deprive many people of ample breathing space.

"Will you please pull the bell?" said a woman to a young man on a Broadway car the other day. "No, madam," replied the smart youth who was of the "straw fed" species. "But I will pull the cord which is attached to the bell." "Don't you do it," cried the woman, "there is a bell on either end of the rope and the motorman might stop the wrong end of the car."

The Lowell Military band made a great hit with the Boston people in Saturday's parade. The popular director of the band, Mr. James A. Murphy, had thirty men in line and they played the latest marching music to the great delight of the onlookers. "The Mathews want the best they can get and are always willing to pay for it," says Mr. Murphy, "and we always want to do the best we can and even better if possible for the Mathews."

The debating club of the C. Y. M. L. is worthy of the support of the young men of St. Patrick's parish. It includes only members of the C. Y. M. L. and the benefit derived by the young men is sufficient to attract the young men of the parish to the organization. Questions of current interest are debated and everyone has an opportunity to take part. The meetings are held on Friday night and a more pleasant evening cannot be spent than by attending the debating club session.

Happy the man, whose wish and care
A few paternal acres bound,
Content to breathe his native air,
In his own ground.
Whose herds with milk, whose fields with bread,
Whose flocks supply him with attire;
Whose trees in summer yield him shade,
In winter fire.
Blest, who can unconcern'dly find
Hours, days and years slide soft away,
In health of body, peace of mind,
Quiet by day.
Sound sleep by night, study and ease,
Together mixed; sweet recreation,
And innocence, which most does please,
With meditation.
Thus let me live, unseen, unknown;
Thus unlamented let me die,
Steal from the world, and not a stone
Tell where I lie.

INHALED GAS

DOCTOR DISCOURAGED AT LACK OF PRACTICE.

LYNN, Oct. 13.—Discouraged, it is thought, because of his inability to command a profitable practice, Dr. Clarendon W. Willey committed suicide in his room at the Kirkland house early yesterday by inhaling illuminating gas. He was found on a bed with one end of a rubber tube connected with a gas jet held between his teeth.

Dr. Willey, who was 34 years of age, was a graduate of the university of Vermont, and until June of this year house surgeon at the Lynn hospital. At that time he opened an office here for general practice.

Last night he left his room on Summer street, went to the hotel and engaged a room, to which he retired about 9 o'clock. Today employes detected the odor of gas and upon breaking into the room found the doctor dead. Dr. Pickman, the medical examiner, expressed the opinion that he had been dead about 10 hours. No papers were left by the suicide.

Walter Willey of Cambridge, a brother of the doctor, had an appointment with him in Somerville yesterday, and after waiting several hours came to Lynn to look for his brother up. When informed that he had committed suicide Mr. Willey said that the only possible reason was that the doctor had been unable to build up a good practice.

Dr. Willey is survived by three brothers, two of whom are in business in Cambridge, Vt., and the third is the customs officer at Burlington, Vt.

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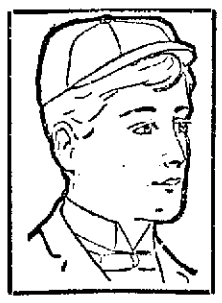

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IN CONVENTION

Baptists Held Thirty Ninth Meeting Yesterday

The Merrimack River Baptist association, comprising Baptist churches of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill, and the neighboring towns, met in the Baptist church in Andover yesterday. The services began at 9.30 o'clock and were held morning, afternoon and evening. The principal speakers of the morning were Prof. Galusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL.D., of Newton Centre, and Rev. George F. Green of the First Baptist church of Lawrence. The addresses were able and interesting.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, pastor of Chelmsford Centre Baptist church, opened the morning session. Rev. A. T. Belknap, pastor of the entertaining church, conducted the devotional service.

The ballot for moderator resulted in the election of Rev. George F. Green, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The following committees were appointed by the chair.

On order of business—Rev. A. T. Belknap, Dea. G. T. Morey and Rev. C. C. Earle.

On credentials—Rev. C. H. Ellis, Rev. William Packard and C. F. Gegenheimer.

On arrangements for next year—Rev. C. C. Earle, Dea. S. F. Snell, Mrs. N. O. Magoon.

On nominations—Rev. H. E. Chapman, Deacon W. L. Floyd, Rev. A. P. Wedge.

On resolutions—Rev. S. T. Ford, D. D., Rev. C. F. Pierce, Rev. R. L. Webb, Rev. R. F. True, Rev. S. L. Morse.

On state of religion—Rev. C. F. Morgan, D.D., Rev. Orville Coats, Rev. E. A. Whittier.

On nominating a trustee for Massachusetts Charitable Association—Dea. W. F. Hills, Dea. Finlay Stevenson, N. O. Hagoon.

On systematic beneficence—Rev. A. R. Dilts, Rev. C. W. Williams, Mrs. J. M. Safford, Mrs. C. T. Morgan, Mrs. A. P. Wedge, Rev. T. P. Evans and Dea. L. O. Norris.

On entertainment—Mrs. G. E. Murray, Rev. F. W. Blakeslee, Rev. A. T. Belknap.

Rev. Orville Coats offered prayer.

At noon a dinner was served at the Town hall for the visitors and many enjoyed a tour of Andover under the direction of Rev. Mr. Belknap.

The day's program follows:

9.30 a.m.—Devotional service.

10 a.m.—Business.

10.30 a.m.—Address, "The New Testament Conception of the Spiritual Life," by Prof. Galusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL.D., Newton Centre.

11 a.m.—Sermon by Rev. George F. Green, Lawrence.

12 m.—Dinner.

2 p.m.—Business.

2.30 p.m.—Report of the committee on the state of religion, Rev. S. L. Morse, Merrimac. Discussion of the report of the committee, Rev. Robert L. Webb of Haverhill, C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence, and Stephen Moore, Newton.

3.45 p.m.—Address, "The Spiritual Influence of Environment," by Rev. Edwin L. Snell of West Newton.

4.15 p.m. Address, "Spiritual Growth Through Prayer and Devotion," by Rev. A. P. Wedge of Lowell.

4.55 p.m.—"Spiritual Growth Through Sacrifice and Service," by Rev. Orville Coats of Lowell.

6 p.m.—Supper.

7 p.m.—Devotional, Rev. C. C. Earle of Lawrence.

7.30 p.m.—Business.

7.45 p.m.—Address, "Above Every Name," by Rev. George H. Ferris of Calvary Baptist church, New Haven, Conn.

In his address Rev. Gadlusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL. D., of Newton Centre, said: "I do not find a definition on the subject from the first chapter of Mathew to the last verse in Revelations. There are very important declarations, but no definitions. Spiritual life is not going apart from our fellow men to be alone in that sense, now called going into retreat. I do not say it is not profitable to be alone, and to have our own thoughts before God but to call that spirituality is incorrect. You cannot get away from yourself. You always have to take along your sinful heart. You should be in the world, separated in spiritual and moral character, but associated with all men, that we may do them good and bring about their salvation.

"The spirituality of the New Testament does not imply that we must be perfect in order to be spiritual. There is but one perfect character, Jesus Christ, holy and undefiled. He has been made higher than the highest. The passage reading, 'We cannot sin because we are born of the Father,' means we cannot go on committing sin continually, but if a man say he sinneth not he is a liar.' The carnal nature remains, but when the spiritual nature in man commences he has the beginning of divine life, not yet developed. Spirituality does not include perfection, but longs for it.

Rev. H. E. Chapman of Haverhill read the scripture, which was followed by the annual address delivered by Rev. George F. Green. His theme being, "The Divine and Human Demand for a Loyal Church." The text was a portion of 1. Timothy, ix, 13, "Give attendance to doctrine."

Mr. Green said in part: "In reviewing the list of those who have preached before the association during the past twenty years, I find that in no case has the preacher remained in the association to repeat the experience.

"It has been the glory of the Baptist church, that it has always recognized the two-fold demand—the divine and human demand for a loyal church. Divine as recognizing the desire of God to accomplish the bringing in of the kingdom of heaven through the agency of the church. Human as rendering a service of ministry to mankind, that they may find their way into the kingdom. But the Baptist church has the added honor of loyalty. Amid persecutions in all ages, we have ever held to the teaching of the inspired Word as the revealed Will of God for mankind.

"We need only the New Testament evidence to confirm the uniform teaching of the Baptist church with that of the first century. Early in the second century so much error had crept into the church that Montanus undertook a reform to restore Christianity to its former simplicity. He had a large following. Tertullian became a loyal Montanist. It was Tertullian who wrote concerning the mode of baptism of his time."

Rev. Geo. F. Green offered prayer. Rev. C. H. Ellis pronounced the benediction.

Miss Florence Lee of Methuen served very acceptably at the organ during the morning session. The congregational singing was inspiring.

The convention adjourned to the town hall for dinner.

At the close of the dinner hour Rev. A. T. Belknap conducted a party to Abbott Academy, Phillips Academy, Andover Theological Seminary and other points of interest.

Eleven churches have raised more money for all purposes than they did last year; 7 have increased their amount for beneficence, while one church has dropped entirely out of the benevolent column. Your committee wish to be fair in this report, and wish to remind the body that the exceptionally hard winter of 1901 and small attendance at the services account in a measure for the falling off in the financial statistics and it is the belief that in some cases where extra meetings were held for revival purposes, they were greatly interfered with, owing to the severe and stormy weather which prevailed after January 1. These unforeseen obstacles account for the decreased number of baptisms. We believe that an opportune time for revival work would be just after the harvests are gathered, or during the Easter time when joy fills the heart in anticipation of the new life.

This year our association reports four men studying for the ministry, as against one a year ago. We pray for our Lord's kingdom to come, which would appear to be a long way off, if the number of the new laborers who go forth to work in the vineyard is any criterion. We want more praying Hannahs to present their Samuels at the altar for God's service. The entering class at the Newton Theological Institution this year numbers 20. We hope and pray that a year hence the number may be increased to fifty.

The revival work, especially, seemed to be confined to Lowell, Lawrence and Methuen this year, which is evidenced by the fact that 153 baptisms out of the total number of 202 took place in the churches of the above named cities and town.

We are glad that there has been a disposition on the part of city pastors to help their brethren in the country churches, and we believe that such an exchange of pastors in special meetings would be beneficial to the country field, as it has proven to be in the city large town churches.

With deep gratitude to God for His mercies in the past, we look prayerfully to the future. By faith we expect to make fresh conquests for Christ in the year before us, so that the committee a year hence shall be enabled to make a red-letter report at the next annual meeting of the Merrimack River association. Respectfully submitted.

SILAS L. MOIRSE,
E. A. WHITTIER,
H. C. WILDER,
Committee on State of Religion.

Other speakers were Rev. Robert L. Webb of Haverhill, Mr. C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence, Rev. Edwin L. Snell of West Newton and Rev. Orville Coats of Lowell.

Rev. Asa Reed Dilts of Lowell said the closing prayer, and the convention adjourned to the town hall for supper, where 230 guests were served. Mr. Frederick Moore gave an organ recital previous to the evening session. A devotional service was led by Rev. C. C. Earle of Lawrence.

The next meeting will be with the Second church of Lawrence.

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ANOTHER VICTIM

EIGHTEENTH TO DIE FROM POISONED WHISKEY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The death of another victim of poisoned whiskey, Herman Sach, of 228 West 49th street, was followed yesterday by news of another man, who is in the last stages of the same curious illness that has now killed 18 persons, and which is generally attributed to the use of wood alcohol as an adulterant by saloon keepers. The name of the man whose death is momentarily expected is withheld by the police.

United States revenue agents, it is alleged, have discovered enough evidence to convince them that some one tampered with whiskey sold by Rudolph Fritsche in his saloon at 723 10th avenue, and mixed wood alcohol with other ingredients in barrels which had contained whiskey bought from wholesalers. This, it is alleged, was then passed out over the bar and sold to customers for little price.

WRESTLING NOTES

Charlie Jackson, the Campello wrestler, last night threw Louis Cote at the Boston theatre, Cote being too light for him.

The bout between Alerk Peterson, who is Jackson's partner, and Kid Egan of Fall River, developed an exciting contest. Egan stayed 15 minutes and then challenged Jackson to a match for any money. The latter said that he would be only too glad to make one Egan at any time or place.

Manager Tibbetts made an announcement to the effect that Jackson would meet Egan Friday afternoon, or anybody else in the wrestling world who wanted to earn $10 by staying 15 minutes. He said that Muggins will be Jackson's opponent this afternoon and Austin Callery, the Centralville star, tonight.

GEORGE B. COBURN

Read Interesting Paper on Gen. Varnum

Because of the unpleasant weather the regular monthly meeting of the Lowell Historical society held in its rooms in Memorial building last evening met with a small attendance. Solon W. Stevens presided and Charles Cowley was elected secretary pro tem. George B. Coburn read a paper on the "Life and Services of Gen. James Varnum." He said in part:

"Gen. Varnum was born in 1748. His father, who had considerable local reputation, owned a large tract of land near the Merrimack river in what is now Dracut. James Varnum was more fortunate than his other brothers, receiving a liberal education in the best colleges in New England at the time. He went to Harvard, the Rhode Island college and Brown University, having a creditable standing at each. He graduated from Brown University when very young, and immediately began the practice of law. In 1769 he took a prominent part in the patriotic cause and led in the debates on the stirring questions of the day. He was admitted to the bar in 1771, at the age of 22, and immediately distinguished himself in this section of the country. He was married shortly after to a daughter of Mr. Childs, a prominent justice and a member of one of Rhode Island's best families. While living in the latter late Mr. Varnum entertained the French and American officers when the combined armies were occupying the state. He was made colonel of Rhode Island militia and in June, 1775, he participated in the battle of Bunker Hill. Washington afterwards, in recognition of his signal services for the cause, promoted him to a position on his staff. In 1778 he was prominent in the battle of Rhode Island. In March, 1779, he tendered his resignation to Gen. Washington after attaining the highest rank which could be achieved in the army. He entered civil life in Rhode Island and his services as a lawyer were in constant demand. In 1787 congress adopted the ordinance opening the Northwest territory and Gen. Varnum was appointed one of the judges to govern the district. He settled at Marietta, Ohio, in May, 1788, and his eloquence and wide discernment of affairs won him many friends. His health however, could not stand the strain and he gradually weakened. He was about to take a trip down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers to Cuba, and thence home, for the benefit of his weakened constitution but passed away before his hopes could be attained. He died in the spring of 1789 in the fortieth year of his age. Behind his remains walked twenty Indian chiefs and a large concourse of those who were under his jurisdiction. Gen. Varnum was one of the most deeply-read men of his time and he was a close student of the classics. Montesquieu, Shakespeare and others being his favorites."

CREATORE'S PRIMA DONNA.

One most interesting and instructive feature at the concert to be given by Creatore and his band at Huntington hall on Sunday night will be the singing of Mme. Barili, who is a gifted soprano of highest attainments. Her voice is of remarkably pure quality, the tone of which is very even throughout, of good lyric quality and thoroughly controlled throughout the intricacies of the brilliant Italian method. She has been the regular soloist of this organization during its long successful career, and has won her way to a favorite place in the hearts of all who have heard her sing.

JOHN B. RATIGAN

NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS IN THAYER'S DISTRICT.

WORCESTER, Oct. 13.—Former Alderman John B. Ratigan of Worcester was nominated as the democratic candidate for congress in the convention of the third district democratic convention yesterday afternoon. The nominating speech was made by congressman John R. Thayer.

The convention was called to order at 2.45 o'clock. Fifty-four delegates representing one city and 24 towns were present. The Hon. Charles Haggerty of Webster was chosen chairman and James F. McGovern of Worcester was secretary.

Congressman Thayer put Mr. Ratigan's name in nomination and took the opportunity to thank the democrats all who had voted for him for the support given in the three previous campaigns.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Emulus Thomson commandery, U. O. G. C., held a largely attended meeting last evening, the occasion being the annual visit of the grand officers. Remarks were made by G. C., Will A. Newton; G. K. R., Walter G. Crowther; G. F., Arthur L. Gray; D. G. C., Hector Turnbull, and others. The remarks showed the order to be in a flourishing condition with all approved death claims paid. There was a large attendance from Washington commandery.

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Store Shades a specialty. Estimates furnished free.
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BURNED TO DEATH

Woman Perished in Fire in New York

WEALTHY NEW YORKER CRIPPLED FOR LIFE

Arrested While Leaving Scene of Fire

SEVERAL PERSONS HAD THRILLING ESCAPES

Fire Started in Parlor of House

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—One woman was burned to death, a man said to be of local prominence leaped from a window and sustained injuries which will make him a cripple for life, and several other persons had thrilling escapes from death or injury in a fire on West 54th street today.

The fire started in the reception room and rear parlor of the house, which was used as a sleeping room by Mrs. Ferguson. A negro maid had just retired when she heard her mistress screaming.

The maid ran to the lower floor to find Mrs. Ferguson, her night-clothes in flames running about the front of the house. Everywhere there were flames on the lower floor and Mrs. Ferguson was soon overcome and fell back into the flames.

In the meantime the occupants of the upper part of the house were aroused by the screams of the two women. Two young women succeeded in escaping to an adjoining house by smashing out the windows of their rooms and crawling across the narrow cornice on the building. The man, who later gave his name to the police as John Smith, in his desire to escape quickly from the building disregarded all warnings and leaped through one of the broken windows to the stone paved yard 30 feet below.

In his fall the man turned slightly and struck with terrific force on his knees. He was disabled and when found was taken to a hospital. There it was found that both knee caps were broken and the surgeons said that his injuries would cripple him for life. A well dressed man, who came along as preparations were being made to take the man to the hospital recognized the wounded man and spoke, but declined to give his name to a policeman.

"He is one of the prominent and wealthy men of New York City," he said, "But I won't tell you his name."

At the hospital the injured man when asked his name, said:

"Oh, call me John Smith."

He was booked under that name but an investigation is now being made in an attempt to learn his true name.

Mrs. Ferguson, who lost her life in the fire, came here from Baltimore. She was 35 years of age.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

GRAND REUNION

AND RECEPTION TO PASTOR OF SACRED HEART PARISH.

The third annual reunion of the Sacred Heart parish will be held in Huntington hall tomorrow evening and the occasion will be doubly important on account of the home coming of the pastor, Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., after a lengthy absence due to illness. He will be tendered a rousing reception by the society and individual members of the parish.

He will be met at the northern depot at 5.30 o'clock and escorted to the hall. The societies that will turn out in parade to do him honor on this occasion are as follows: Divisions 2, 8, 11 and 28, A. O. H., Wolfe Tone Guards headed by the Irish Volunteer band. The officers of the societies in the parade are as follows: Wolfe Tone Guards, Captain Celmmins; Division 2, President Thomas J. Lynch; Division 11, John T. Hendricks; Division 8, Michael Rynne; Division 28, William McManus. Captain Hugh Bourke will as usual lead the band of which he is president and director.

The committee of arrangements in charge of the reunion has passed a vote of thanks to the various societies turning out in the parade tomorrow evening, and also to the volunteer band, to Thomas J. Lynch and Messrs McDermott, Rogers and O'Connell for the liberality in placing carriages at the service of the committee. The men of the parish not attached to any of these societies will turn out wearing white sleeves. Mr. Michael Conroy will be marshal of this division.

The A. O. H. divisions are requested to meet in their hall at 7.15 p. m. while the Wolfe Tone Guards will meet at their quarters in Market street, at the same hour, all to turn out in full regalia.

The route of the parade is as follows: Form in Merrimack square in front of Hibernian hall, march through Central, to Middlesex to the northern depot, returning, march through Middlesex, Central and Merrimack streets to Huntington hall.

The Wolfe Tone Guards, headed by the band, will have the right of line and the Hibernian lodges will follow in the order of their number, the men of the parish bringing up the rear.

On arrival at the hall the exercises will be opened by Michael Rogers, chairman of the reception committee, who will introduce Dr. J. B. O'Connor. This gentleman will present an address of welcome to Rev. Fr. Reynolds after which the reverend gentleman is expected to make a short address. Thomas Farrell is general manager of the entire affair and Mr. Joseph T. Sullivan will be floor director at the sociable which will follow the introductory exercises and musical entertainment. In the afternoon an entertainment will be given for the children of the parish, at which the boys' choir will sing. The hall has been beautifully decorated and tables have been provided to cater to the needs of the party during the evening. The proceeds will go to the fund for maintaining the parochial schools. Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., has done a great deal to make the reunion a success and he has the united support of the parish and many outsiders in his efforts.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

ARMY OFFICERS

Says Government Cannot Recognize Unions

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 13—Brig.-Gen. William Crozier, chief of ordnance, before leaving Springfield yesterday afternoon after his annual inspection of the United States armory, discussed the government's attitude toward labor unions, with particular reference to the recent attempt of the Allied Metal Mechanics of America to induce the war department to restore the old scale of wages for piece work at the Springfield armory. "It is the best interest of the United States government not to recognize labor unions," said Gen. Crozier. "The government manufacturing plants are unlike private plants in that the employer, the government in this case reaps no profit from the business, whereas in private plants both employer and employe receive their share of the profits, and each is constantly pulling against the other to secure a larger share. There is an incentive for the employe of the government to look for more wages, but there is no incentive for the present government to compete for a share of profits, and in such a case the argument is decided in favor of the employer.

"I am not hostile to labor unions, the government, to protect itself, must not recognize them. The government has a fixed rule on which its employes are paid at the current rate of wages existing in the community in which they work, and without the necessity of belonging to labor unions they derive the benefit of any higher rate of wages in occupations similar to those in which they may be employed, which may be the result of union agitation."

HIS WIFE'S RUSE

How Cyrille Constantineau Was Fooled

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—Cyrille Constantineau, who was in the city yesterday in attendance at the bankruptcy court, where his case was called, tells the interesting story of how his wife, Madame Constantineau, fooled him in Quebec last summer in securing the custody of a minor child.

After the couple separated she took the children to their grandparents' home in St. Johnsbury, Vt., and he kidnaped them. Judge Fuller heard the couple's troubles in his court in this state and he was disposed to give the children into the mother's custody. But he could do nothing while the children were out of his jurisdiction. One of the children was given to Mrs. Constantineau. The other went to Quebec with the father and was thereafter in the summer.

Madame Constantineau's motherly heart yearned for the little fellow and she decided to go and get him. She went to Quebec, according to Constantineau's story, and stayed with him for two or three days, and, as he supposed, fixed up all their differences. He left his home one morning to go to his work and when he returned the wife and child were gone.

The children are now at St. Johnsbury and Constantineau has removed to Lowell, where he is in the employ of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. He hopes to get the children again sometime, but he doesn't know when, as he realizes that his wife can give him the whole pack of cards and lead him out as a detective.

SANTILLO HELD

Italian is Suspected of Murder

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 13.—Francisco Santillo, the Italian, who is believed to have killed Antonio Longobardi during a quarrel over a girl last night, was caught in the outskirts of this city, early today as the result of an order to the patrolmen to stop and question all pedestrians who seemed to have no fixed purpose in walking about before daylight. Many foreigners were stopped and sent to police headquarters, as suspicious persons, and finally two officers sent in Santillo, who had been unable to explain his wanderings about the residential district. This man was recognized as the one seen with Longobardi just before the quarrel. An autopsy on the body of the victim shows that he was stabbed once with a sharp weapon, the wound going into the muscles of the heart and probably penetrating that organ.

PERSONALS

A musical program entertained the guests during the reception, those participating being Mr. Guy Johnson, Master Alfred Foley, Mrs. J. A. Foley; Miss Ida Mosserain.

Mrs. E. L. Preble of Saco, Me., is visiting Mrs. Charles Sturtevant of Burtt street.

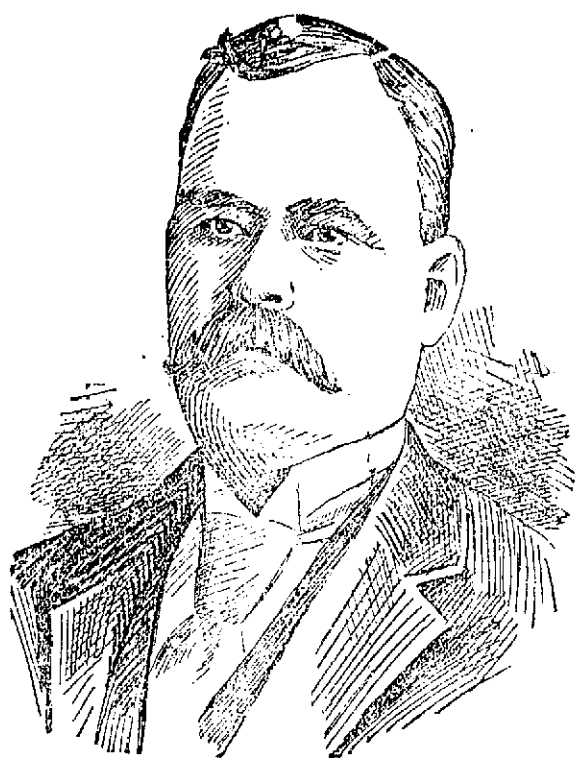
Mr. James Miskelly of Arctic Centre, R. I., formerly of this city, has been the guest of his father-in-law, Mr. Azilda Trudeau, and of other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Eugene Hamblen of Roslindale is spending a few weeks with her sisters the Misses Mellen of Wamesit street.

Among the Lowell people who left for California yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Don J. Heaton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Clark.

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

There was a sale, supper and entertainment yesterday afternoon and evening in the vestry of the First Unitarian church. The ways and means committee of the Women's Alliance were the managers and the affair was a great big success. Home-cooked food was on sale in the afternoon and there was a supper at 6.30 that would tempt an epicure. After supper there was fun galore and among the many excellent numbers on the program were "readings" by Miss Amy Baker of New York. Mrs. E. S. Hylan is chairman of the ways and means committee and the members of the committee are: Mrs. George L. Bowers, Mrs. C. W. Wilder, Mrs. E. H. Scribner, Mrs. F. E. Shaw, Mrs. Dana Bartlett, Mrs. Henry Noyes, Mrs. O. B. Bartlett, Mrs. Arthur Moore, Mrs. W. H. Bartlett and Miss Grace Hylan.



A. H. CLUER, THE NEWLY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE MIDDLESEX NORTH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

OFFICIAL NEWS IS NOT AVAILABLE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13—3.20 a. m. No official news of the result of today's battle south of Mukden is available at this hour. General Kuropatkin doubtless has communicated his regular report to Emperor Nicholas at Tsarkoe Selo, but the despatch was not sent back to the general staff tonight.

So the latest word from Russian sources is contained in the Associated Press despatch from Mukden. As is natural the absence of official news is pessimistically interpreted in many quarters; but the general staff, though reticent, counsels patience, pointing out that the offensive movement was planned on a large scale and has not yet reached a stage where a decisive result could have been attained.

The frontal attack on the Yentai mines developed a desperate battle, in which probably 100,000 men are engaged but though the despatches so far deal almost exclusively with this feature of the battle, it is pointed out that there is a much wider field involved.

A flight on the Russian left flank has not yet developed, and possibly here General Kuropatkin intends to deliver his main blow. What force is pushing forward in this direction behind the screen containing the column at Shantintaidze is unknown, but the appearance tonight of a Russian column at Tzymuchan, 30 miles southeast of Mukden, striking at Field Marshal Oyama's communication with the Yalu, and the knowledge that another column is already across the Taitse river gives evidence of the wide nature of the turning movement.

Apprehension is caused by the Tokio despatch saying that Field Marshal Oyama reports that he is gaining ground and has cut off a Russian column below the Taitse river. It is only natural, after the repeated reverses already suffered, that the Russians fully realize how much General Kuropatkin has staked upon the assumption of the offensive.

The battle now in progress undoubtedly will outweigh in importance the hard fighting at Liao Yang. For Kuropatkin, victory, partial or complete is absolutely necessary. Defeat would certainly spell ruin for his military reputation and probably prove a disaster of the first magnitude to the Russian army. If the Japanese should roll up Kuropatkin's advance now, all hope of an aggressive Russian success in this campaign or of relief of Port Arthur would be ended probably for this year; but Russian success now means a winter campaign and immensely enhanced prestige, not only for Kuropatkin personally, but for the Russian arms in Manchuria, in the eyes of the Chinese, which is an important factor in the present situation. The effect also of defeat upon the gallant garrison of Port Arthur after hopes of relief had been held out, would be most disastrous. For all these reasons Kuropatkin's friends are convinced that the offensive was taken with open eyes and with a full appreciation of its difficulty and a firm belief that victory would be achieved.

On the other hand, some of his enemies are unkind enough to intimate that Gen. Kuropatkin has rashly risked his army knowing that victory now will ensure his selection as commander in chief of both the Manchurian armies.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE COPY OF MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS OF THE RUSSIAN WESTERN ARMY, Mukden, Oct. 11 (via Fekin 12) Russian dragoons have captured a copy of a message from the emperor of Japan to his troops in which the mikado says he is still awaiting the decisive defeat of the Russians. It is apparent from this intelligence that the Japanese are equally preparing for important events. There have been daily engagements between the advancing guards along the entire line of thirty miles.

The Japanese appear to be apprehensive of a cutting off movement, owing to the fact that the Russian cavalry is south of the Taitse river, and also owing to the presence of Russian forces yesterday in the old positions and fortifications at Bensihu. They have, therefore, fallen back.

The strong position at the Yentai coal mines which has been the cause of apprehension, for the Russians was vacated by the Japanese, October 9, though they are throwing up earthworks toward the west, where the superiority of the Russian cavalry will require superior defenses.

It is believed that the Japanese have about 100 guns at the railway bridge across the Taitse river, rendering hazardous a Russian attack there.

The preliminary line of battle, after the two armies have reinforced and refortified for a month past, as determined by the Japanese stronghold of the railway bridge and the Liao Yang defenses, today runs southeast to northwest from the hills opposite Bensihu to Yentai and thence to Tousanpu, ten miles west of the railway, where for three days the battle line has been wavering.

The correspondent of the Associated Press witnessed the Russians take and retake Tousanpu and saw the Japanese burning their bridge over the Shakhe river on their last retirement of October 9. The Japanese were reinforced and renewed the attack October 10 with two battalions and two guns, forcing the line back on the Russian right without, however, achieving any important result.

The Japanese cannonading yesterday was for the purpose of disclosing the Russian position, but it was apparently without result except as showing that the Japanese are disposed freely to make battle within 10 miles of the railway.

The heaviness and regularity of the cannonade since five o'clock this morning in the foothills and west of the railway indicate that greater fighting is in progress.

AUGUSTUS ST. GAUDENS, THE FAMOUS SCULPTOR.

Letter to E. M. GARDNER, Lowell, Mass.:

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There are some details, which, of course, you can't be expected to know. For instance the next-best paints are only three-quarters as good. That's strange, very strange. There are a dozen of them perhaps; you don't know them all by name. No matter, one is enough; the only one you have real occasion to know is Devoe.

The worst of it is that the others leave the whole business to us so. We make it as good as we can; others make it as good as they have to. Queer, but we don't complain. Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

P. S.—The Adams Hardware and Paint Co. sell our paint.

CHURCHES NEXT

Will be Inspected by State Police

Churches will be the next subject of inspection by the state police, under the new statutes. They come under the same law as do theatres and halls having a capacity of 400 or over, and the principal requirements which will be made the objective point in the inspection is a proper system of ventilation and also sufficient and properly placed exits in case of fire. Some of the churches, and among them the most modern in the city, are hardly built with a view to safe egress in case of a panic. Another thing that seems to be a strangely concurrent thing in the building of churches is to have the furnaces directly under the main entrance. Hence, with a fire starting from the furnaces all means of egress are immediately cut off.

KILLED CELLMATE

TERRIBLE AFFAIR IN ST. LOUIS JAIL.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 13—Frances Small, 40 years old, was found dead today in a cell at the Chestnut street police station. In the same cell was Goldie Bell, 25 years old, who admits that they fought and she hit the woman in the ear. The cause of death has not been determined. The Small woman had been locked up on a charge of disorderly conduct. The Bell woman was in for disturbing the peace.

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Drawers	25c	to	3.98
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Also Children's Drawers, umbrella shape and Hamburg trimmed, only **19c each.**

Children's White Skirts, size 1, 2 and 3, only **19c.**

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WEST SECTION—CENTRE AISLE.

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That All Linen Damask Pattern Table Cloths of high quality are here at about one-half their actual worth. Most of the ladies who purchased yesterday and the day before bought them for future use. Why don't you?

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POLITICAL FIELD

More Republican Mayoralty Possibilities Discussed

McKinley's Friends Would Like to Have Him Run — Other Newsy Political Notes

Hon. Jas. McKinely dropped into the councillor convention yesterday morning and was immediately surrounded by hand-shaking friends for he has lost none of his popularity though defeated. He wasn't in the hall three minutes when some one whispered that he would make a good candidate for mayor and in a short time several little groups were discussing the likelihood of the senator stepping into the mayoralty field and pulling off the nomination. It is quite certain now that there will be a third candidate in the field, though his name will probably not be launched until after the state election. Frank E. Dunbar is mentioned as a mayoralty possibility for he has two years yet before he can be a candidate for congress and many believe he could not employ those two years more profitably than by running for mayor. The ultimate complexion of the municipal republican ticket cannot be judged accurately at present for the state election may change the entire appearance of things.

Meanwhile Messrs. Miskella and Casey have the entire democratic field to themselves and the winner will have the support of the loser and his friends. Each is holding well attended meetings at his headquarters and no mud is being thrown. Both are most desirable candidates and either can be elected if nominated.

Charles S. Copeland is prominently mentioned as a candidate for alderman from ward three on the republican ticket. Somewhere we have have heard of some other republicans from the same ward who would like the nomination. Fortunately the nominations are made by the public at large and one ward may have all the nominees if they can get the votes.

Michael J. Mahoney's chances for the senate grow brighter as the day of election approaches and the Cheneyites are worrying mightily these days. Mr. Mahoney will unite the democracy for him as it has not been united since Senator McKinley went before the voters, while he also commands a large republican following which will vote for him in preference to Mr. Cheney. Mr. Mahoney exhibited his fearlessness and honesty in many a hard fought baseball contest long before he ever entertained the idea of going into politics and that honesty and fearlessness have characterized all of his political acts and he stands before the public with an unblemished reputation.

Unless the candidates give up for the uniforms of the campaign clubs some one is due to get a "trimming" and this may mean either the candidate who refuses to give up or the costumer who furnished the uniforms.

It has been figured out that ward nine has three candidates for the legislature this year. William E. Westall and Timothy S. Murphy, who are running in the 27th district and Cecil L. Adams, who is running in the 26th district.

Luke Walsh, the well known plasterer, employed by his brother, James P. Walsh is a democratic candidate for the common council in ward one. Mr. Walsh is widely known and highly esteemed and he will poll a big vote. James P. Barry, the present democratic councilman from that ward, will also be a candidate.

Ralph Cullinan, one of the best known young men in ward four, is a candidate for the common council in that ward and ex-Councilman Michael J. Markham will manage his campaign. Mr. Cullinan has a host of friends in the ward and will make a most formidable candidate. His partner, Mr. Markham, knows the game from A to Z and will give him a course of instruction prior to the caucuses.

For a slick political move that of A. W. Willis of Melrose in introducing John T. Slayton of Melrose to the convention as the candidate for councilor next year was about the cleverest heard of in this vicinity this year at least. Mr. Watson of this city expected the renomination without opposition and hence did not put any work into the caucuses as a result of which pledged delegates were elected only in Lowell while the remainder of the district went unpledged and the general understanding was that Watson was the man without opposition. About a week ago Mr. Watson and his friends learned to their dismay that Chester Williams had entered the fight against him and had obtained the promises of all the delegates in his immediate vicinity. Mr. Williams put the bluff that he was in the contest for keeps and the Watson men were forced to hustle through the district to see the unpledged delegates and get their assurances of support. When they gathered at the convention yesterday morning Mr. Williams had headquarters even as did Mr. Watson and he met his delegates and even told some of them that he expected to carry the convention. After all the delegates had arrived it was plain to be seen that while Williams had some votes, Watson had the contest won. Then some of Watson's friends sought the Williams delegates with a view to having them pull out their candidate and thus make the nomination of Mr. Watson unanimous but the Williams delegates declined to do this stating that while they did not expect to win this year they were pushing their candidate so as to put him in line for next year and that by making a showing this year he would be the logical candidate to succeed Mr. aWtson.

When A. W. Willis of Melrose heard this he immediately called a meeting of the Melrose delegation and for 10 minutes they had a whispered conference in one corner of the hall much to the worriment of Charlie Hartwell and little Fred Roper who did their best to "bluff in" without success. No one knew what the conference was about until after both Watson and Williams had been placed in nomination and then Mr. Wills arose and assuming a dramatic attitude under the chairman's desk began a speech which convinced everyone in the hall that he was about to place a third candidate in the field. He told how loyally the city of Melrose had stood by the republican candidates for years past without having a councilor candidate of its own until this year it can come into the convention with a man of its choice John C. Slayton. He then proceeded to eulogize Mr. Slayton and went along until he came to the point where they all expected him to say: "And I place in nomination etc.," when he suddenly and gracefully turned away onto the subject of harmony and the feasibility of allowing Mr. Watson to serve out the terms with Gov. Bates and concluded by stating for that reason the Melrose delegates had decided to withhold Mr. Slayton's name until Mr. Watson had had his third term and had instructed him to second the nomination of Mr. Watson.

The move took the Watson delegates off their feet and knocked the best laid schemes of Mr. Williams and his friends higher than the proverbial kite, for it gave Mr. Slayton certainly as good and to the thinking of many a better standing for next year than Mr. Williams.

If the weather permits, the local republicans will have a flag party tonight. A large banner bearing the pictures of Roosevelt and Fairbanks, and Congressman Ames and the name of Edwards Cheney will be thrown to the winds from the tops of the buildings at the corner of Merrimack and Central streets. As there are only two sides to the banner it was necessary to omit the picture of Chairman Hill of the republican city committee and the names of the representative candidates. It was at first thought to let space on the banner, as one would sell lots on the common on July 4, but the representatives of the head of the ticket pre-empted most of the space and hence the other candidates are not on.

The Citizen says this morning: "The Blue Bells finally decided last night to turn out tonight," while immediately under it is the statement: "The Blue Bells will not parade tonight according to Sec. Cook's order." When in doubt play both ends. It would appear that there is internal dissension among the Blue Bells. The name of the secretary, together with his statement, would suggest an absence of "dough."

After the flag raising the Lincoln club will pull off a rally in Jackson hall. Frank E. Dunbar will preside, and Congressman Ames, Edwards Cheney and the representative candidates will speak.

MINSTREL FRONT

WILL BE TRIED BY THE C. Y. M. L.

At the meeting of the dance committee held at the rooms last night it was voted to secure the services of Mr. Arthur Mills as musical director for the coming minstrel entertainment which is to be given at the dance to be conducted by the organization at a future date.

Mr. Mills met the members after adjournment and they immediately laid out a part of the work to be done in order that the coming event will be successful. Mr. Mills has been remarkably successful in putting on amateur minstrel entertainments.

It was voted to have a lemonade and tonic table on the night of the dance. Nothing more of importance was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Mongrain were married Oct. 11, 1879 at Ware. They came to Lowell 15 years ago, and have since resided here. They have four children, Miss Alma M., and Joseph, Leo and Orene Mongrain, all of whom reside here and were present at the anniversary fete. Among the members of the immediate family present were also Mr. R. C. Mongrain, a brother of Mr. Mongrain, and Mr. J. A. Foley and Mrs. Antoine Dragon, brother and sister of Mrs. Mongrain.

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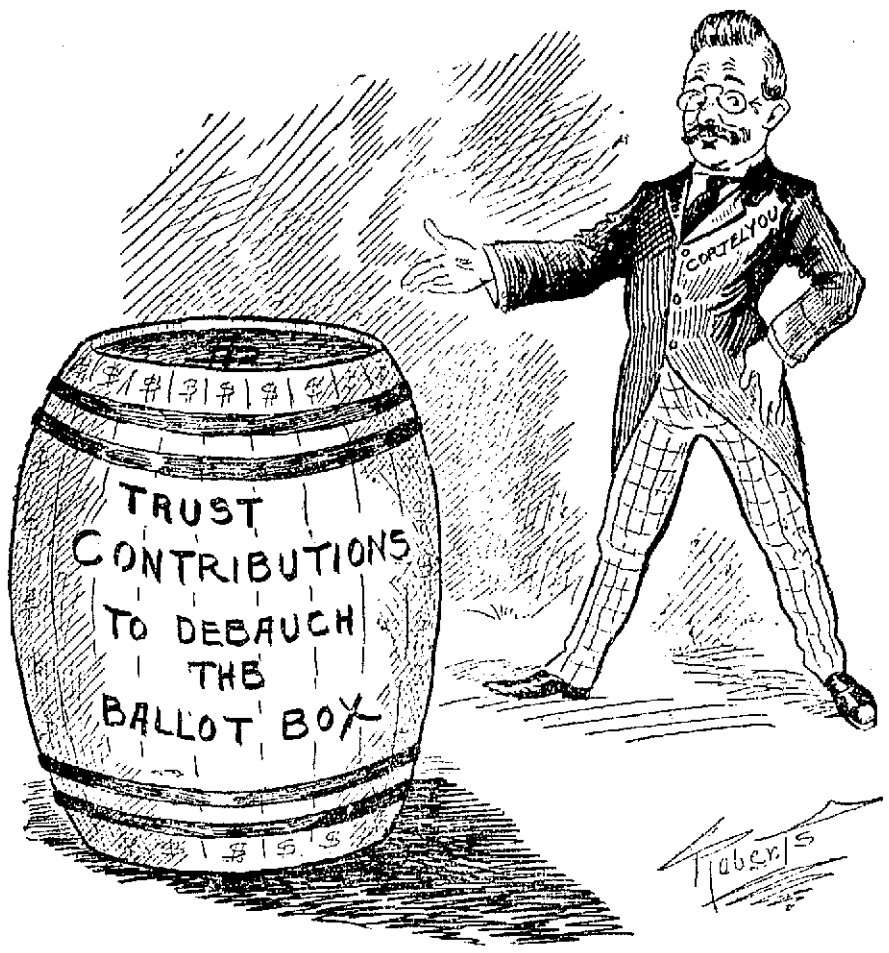

"THERE'S MILLIONS IN IT"

COULDN'T SCORE

Textiles and Haverhill High Play Tie Game

The Lowell Textile school football team opened its season yesterday at the Fair Grounds by playing a tie game with the strong Haverhill High school team, neither side scoring in the time alloted. Ten-minute halves were played and the short time operated against the Textile team for the Lowell boys had the better of the argument and in the second half kept the pigskin in the enemy's territory and were about to get behind the goal posts when the timer's whistle blew. A fumble prevented a touchdown by Lowell while Haverhill was a long way from making one. Being the first game one can hardly pass fair judgment on the work of the team. But the Textile boys appear to be a likely looking lot and the fans may yet be rooting hard for them. Captain Currier had his team well under control and he worked the weak spots in the opposing team to good advantage. The Haverhill team made a couple of snappy sprints but they couldn't keep the steam up for any length and the regulation halves would have seen them badly beaten for the Textile boys finished as fresh as they started.

The lineup:

TEXTILE	HAVERHILL
Midwood re	le Livelle
Prior rt	lt Short
Julia rg	lg Lynch
Moore c	c Batchelder
Heinze lg	rg Foley
Brookhouse lt	rt Owens
Donnellon le	re Dore
Currier qb	qb Follansby
Kent rhb	lhb Curtis
Church lhb	rhb Forton
McDonald fb	fb Morgan

Summary: Score—Textile 0, Haverhill 0. Referee—Hill of Haverhill. Umpire—Cronin of Lowell. Linesmen—Dyer and Batchelder. Time—10-minute halves.

HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULE.

Manager Wilder of the High School football team announces the following revised schedule:

Oct. 15—Mechanics Art of Boston at Lowell.
Oct. 19—Lowell High at Haverhill.
Oct. 22—Lowell High at Lawrence.
Oct. 25—Lowell High at Waltham.
Oct. 29—Leominster High at Lowell.
Nov. 5—Medford High at Lowell.
Nov. 9—Haverhill High at Lowell.
Nov. 16—Lowell High at Nashua.
Nov. 19—Lawrence High at Lowell.
Nov. 24—Woburn High at Lowell.

CYCLE NEWS

An unheralded visitor to the land of his birth is "Jo" Pennell, who is an artist by vocation and a cyclist by avocation. He has been in St. Louis, where an artists' convention was in session.

During the past quarter of a century Pennell has been a cyclist of the most enthusiastic type. Old timers will remember him as a particularly elongated rider of an extremely high bicycle, who disappeared from view upon taking up his residence in England, where he became famous as a pen and ink artist. Of late years he has turned his attention to motor cycles, as many British makers know to their sorrow. He was for a long time the foreign representative of the L. A. W.

"One feature of the two-speed gear that is apt to be lost sight of," writes a doctor, "is that it puts cycling within the reach of persons who, on account of slight weakness of the heart, have had to give it up. Now, the danger of cycling to any one whose heart is weak lies, not in long continued exertion, nor in fatigue, so much as in the sudden spurts and strains necessary to get up a short, steep hill or to buffet against a wind up a less steep incline. With a variable gear which may be dropped to, say 56, this is largely eliminated, and if my colleagues in the profession knew more about two-speed gears they would be able to permit many patients whom they have previously had to forbid to cycle to return to the wheel."

That cycle bearing balls are made of good stuff was shown by an incident which recently came to light. The engineer of an Eastern railroad noticed something wrong with one of the wheels of his locomotive. On making a careful examination he found that the ball from a cycle bearing had become fixed in the outer surface of the wheel. So firmly was it embedded that it could not be extracted, and it was found necessary to hammer it right into the metal.

Rat-trap pedals make the feet peculiarly susceptible to cold. Rubber blocks on the pedals will be found a big improvement, while to absolutely banish the cold one need only wear heavy woollen stockings with stout shoes that are pretty loose.

WOMEN GOLFERS

CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST NARROWING DOWN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 13.—Unfavorable weather conditions prevailed yesterday for the second day's play in the women's golf championship of the United States on the links of the Merion Cricket club at Haverford. As a result of the day's play, the championship now lies between New York, Philadelphia and Boston. New York has Miss Louise Vanderhoef, Mrs. E. S. Sanford and Miss Georgianna Bishop. Philadelphia's hopes lie in Miss Frances C. Griscom and Miss E. N. Ayres, while the Boston representatives are Miss Pauline Mackay, Miss Margaret Curtis and Miss K. C. Harley.

Miss Griscom was responsible for the defeat of Miss M. Higgins of Chicago. She took the lead at the first hole and held it throughout, winning by two up and one to play.

Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Huntington Valley was defeated by Mrs. Sanford in the only extra hole match of the day.

Miss L. Vanderhoef squared her match with Miss J. A. Carpenter of West-Ho at the fourteenth hole and won out by two up.

Miss MacKay and Miss Louisa A. Wells of Brookline, were all square at the turn but Miss MacKay won by 3 to play.

The surprise of the day was the defeat of Miss F. C. Osgood of Brookline by Miss Harley. Miss Harley went out in a forty-six and after being dormie seven, won by six up and 4 to play.

PRESS GOLFERS

TO PLAY FOR A FINE SILVER CUP.

BOSTON, N. Oct. 13—A handsome silver cup valued at $50, has been presented by President John I. Taylor of the Boston American, for the coming match between newspaper golfers of New England and New York, which will take place next Monday at the Wollaston Golf club.

It is expected that the victors will send a team of 12, many of whom will play for the inter-collegiate tournament championship teams on Tuesday at Myopia.

In connection with the match with New York, the New England Press Golf association will hold an all day medal tournament at Wollaston for newspaper men in which players connected with the press, over are invited to enter.

CLASS OF '05

ELECTED OFFICERS AT HIGH SCHOOL.

The class of 1905 of the Lowell High school has elected the following officers:

President, Sidney R. Whipple; 1st vice-president, Miss Ethel Waring; 2d vice-president, Miss Alice M. Littlefield; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Spalding; treasurer, Victor Gellman.

Mr. Whipple is editor-in-chief of the High School Review, is major of the regiment, and is editor of the Phi Annual, the publication of the school fraternity. Miss Waring is captain of Company A of the First Battalion of the Girls' regiment and is prominent in school affairs. Miss Littlefield is one of the literary editors of the Review, is captain of Company A, second battalion of the Girls' regiment, and is an active member of the Frederic T. Greenhalge Debating society. Miss Spalding is exchange editor of the Review, Captain of Company C of the First battalion of the Girls' regiment, and is a member of the 'Varsity girls' basket ball team. Mr. Gellman is president of the Athletic association, a member of the football team, and one of the track team athletes.

President Whipple has appointed the following to serve on the pin and ring committee: Schuyler R. Waller, chairman; Miss Ethel Waring, Miss Elizabeth Spalding, H. Walter Clark, and Albert Nickerson.

The class colors are red and gray.

CHURCH SOCIABLE

AT HIGH STREET CHURCH LAST EVENING.

There was a large attendance at the sociable held in the vestry of the High Street church last evening.

After a supper served by the ladies of the church, under the supervision of Mrs. A. D. Kennedy, the evening was given over to an informal relation of vacation experiences, humorous and otherwise, by various members of the society present. Hon. George A. Marden presided as toastmaster, and there was singing by Mrs. George H. Spalding and Mr. Herbert Whipple, accompanied by Mrs. E. G. Dumas on the piano. The ladies of the church had decorated the vestry very handsomely with flowers and boughs of autumn leaves.

Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quesne of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure. 25c at F. H. Goodale's drug store, 257 Central street.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 17.
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18.
THURSDAY, OCT. 20.
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21.

All such effort will be made to accommodate all who apply. It is urged that application be made as soon as possible in order to insure admission to the classes.

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St. Gaudens Lost Priceless Forks

CORNISH, N. H., Oct. 13.—The damage in Tuesday's fire at sculptor St. Gaudens' studio will probably be more than $200,000, with insurance upon the buildings and contents of something like $50,000. There were many things destroyed which were almost priceless and cannot be replaced.

Nearly all of Mr. St. Gaudens' drawings, carbon reprints, etchings and paintings, representing the artistic work and conception of years, were in the studio and were burned, with the clay models of the Lincoln and Parnell statues, bas reliefs of noted personages medallions, plaster casts and work in all stages of progress.

In the studio a death mask of the late William C. Whitney of New York was destroyed. It cannot be replaced. The model of the Abraham Lincoln statue, which is to be set up on the steps of a library building in Chicago, was burned, only the head and hands being saved.

The logs were destroyed and these will be extremely difficult to reproduce, because the best model of the long and lank Lincoln, Amos Bixby of this town, is dead. The enlargement of the Marcus Daly statue, to be set up in Butte, Mont., was destroyed, but a small working model was saved and another can be made from it.

Only a few portfolios of photographs and etchings of the Parnell statue were saved, the enlargement and the working model being lost. This will be sad news for John E. Redmond and his Irish compatriots, for it was only a short time ago that this leader was here and inspected the model, and noted with satisfaction the progress of the work.

The work will now have to be all done over again and this will mean a delay of two years in setting up the statue and monument in the city of Dublin.

Miss Grimes, an artist, who has been at work in the studio for some time, saved some celebrated bas reliefs and medallions.

A small bust of Mr. St. Gaudens' father, said to have been done by the sculptor when only 12 years old, was saved. A statue of the late Phillips Brooks, which is nearly ready to be put in bronze ,was in the new studio and was not harmed, and a small statue of the novelist, Robert Louis Stevenson, was among those saved from the flames.

Fortunately the wind did not blow at the time of the fire, or the house and the new studio would have been in great danger from flying sparks. A ditch was dug in the forest below the burned buildings so that the fire would not spread in that direction.

Mr. St. Gaudens went to meet the commission on the Puritan statue, which is to be set up for the New England society of Philadelphia, and had stopped in New York on account of the state of his health.

BASKET BALL

The New Bedford Herald has the following:

Local basketball enthusiasts are wondering what has become of "Mattie" Hickey and his basketball team, which he promised would be located in this city this season. Hickey asked for and received a franchise for Fall River but he apparently has done nothing in the matter since and was not present at the last league meeting. The league officials have communicated with Manager McDermott of the local baseball team and have asked him to take the franchise. Mr. McDermott will look into the matter and ascertain the prospects before giving the officials a definite answer.

Considerable interest was awakened in the game by the announcement that Fall River would be represented in the league and there are many who would like to see a team here this winter, especially as New Bedford is to have one, managed by the doughty "Con" Murphy.

SWALLOWED A PIN

BOSTON GIRL WAS NEARLY KILLED.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—Miss Katherine Haffenreffer of Boston, sister of Rudolph F. Haffenreffer of this city, is recovering from very serious injuries resulting from the swallowing of a pin last Tuesday.

In company with Mrs. Haffenreffer, she had been bathing in the river at the family summer place in Portsmouth. While dressing she held a pin with an enlarged white head in her mouth, and the pin slipped down into her throat. In her mother's automobile she was hurried to this city and arrangements made for removing the pin. She was take into Dr. Francis A. Baker's office, and an X-ray machine used to locate the pin. Dr. R. J. Thompson, G. L. Richards, O. H. Jackson and Baker were engaged in the operation.

The pin was located but the first attempt to remove it failed, the pin being broken, and both sections left in the throat. A second attempt was successful.

Dr. F. G. Guilliland has gone to Maine after big game. He will be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Mongrain of 11 Wachusett street observed the silver anniversary of their wedding by a delightful family fete at their home, Tuesday night.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.45	6.54	6.00	7.04
6.52	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.38	7.30	7.34	8.03
a6.45	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
a7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
a7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.48	8.55	a10.17	11.34
a7.59	10.05	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.02	10.20	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	1.15	1.52
e11.43	12.25	2.00	3.01
b12.14	1.00	e3.00	3.37
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
e1.50	2.30	a3.47	5.00
e3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
e4.02	4.45	e5.00	5.37
4.25	5.34	5.33	6.24
e5.02	6.15	a5.47	6.54
a5.44	7.00	6.14	7.30
a6.12	8.55	e7.30	8.08
a7.29	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.36	10.30	11.34
		11.20	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
e5.30	7.30	9.00	10.00
8.24	9.10	e10.00	10.37
8.45	9.49	e11.30	12.07
e9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
e3.25	4.39	5.00	5.37
e5.29	6.30	e7.30	8.08
e6.12	6.55	e8.30	9.08
e7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	7.56	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.06
12.05	1.07	2.15	3.20
12.45	2.55	3.33	4.50
2.30	3.34	4.50	5.49
3.10	4.05	6.04	7.05
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.47
5.00	6.40	9.30	10.35
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7.00	8.05		
9.15	10.20		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.26	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.52	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.54	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.44		

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OLD-FASHIONED SUPPER.

An old-fashioned supper was the attraction at the vestry of the Unitarian church last evening. The supper was served at 6.30 and was enjoyed by a large number of the parishioners. During the evening Miss Annie Baker entertained with several well-rendered readings. Mrs. G. S. Hylan, chairman of the committee on ways and means of the Woman's Alliance, was in charge of last night's event.

LAUGHS AT THE CASTO.

Manager Al Haynes deserves special commendation for the excellent program which he is presenting at the Casto theatre this week. The merry, musical farce comedy "A Trip to New York," heads the bill and it is headed by a superb company which includes Mr. Haynes in a congenial role and also Miss Julia Redmond. The remainder of the program is composed of all comedy vaudeville acts, and pleases all. Reserved seats, which are 10 cents extra, can be ordered by telephone.

FRANCIS A. CAMPBELL

NOMINATED FOR CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—Francis A. Campbell of ward 12 was nominated for clerk of the superior civil court by the Suffolk county democratic convention in Faneuil hall last evening, by the following vote:

Whole number of votes cast 296
Necessary for choice 249
Francis A. Campbell 251
Francis P. Ewing 144
Charles H. Slattery 65
Joseph J. Murley 55
Blank 1

The convention was nearly an hour late in coming to order, owing to the delay in the arrival of the delegates.

HENRY B. LITTLE

TAKES SCHAEFFER'S PLACE ON STATE TICKET.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—It was announced at the headquarters of the democratic state committee last evening that Henry B. Little of Newburyport had been chosen for the position of secretary of state on the democratic ticket, to take the place of Henry T. Schaeffer.

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CITY OF LOWELL WAS NOT IN IT

Failed to Get Near Prize Winners

NASHUA, Oct. 13.—The red shirt brigade of firemen had a decidedly cold and unpleasant day yesterday for their muster in this city. Despite the cold, however, the visiting companies from Wilton, Pepperell, Lowell, Amesbury, Manchester, Peabody, Lawrence and Waltham showed up with full complements of men and after their work of the day had been successfully accomplished went home again with full ranks.

Notwithstanding the weather conditions the muster has been a success in every sense of the word, not a fireman making a complaint because of the cold, a failure to find means to keep full of warmth and good spirits.

During the early part of the forenoon crowds gathered on Railroad square to witness the jumping from high buildings and landing in life nets which had been advertised. This feature was more humorous than educational; more laughable than thrilling. First from the veranda of the Laton house a jump was made into the net held by a score of men. This was not very wonderful, but served to whet the appetite of the crowds for the looked-for jump from the top of the Whiting building.

After the net had been placed with considerable fuss a dummy figure was thrown from the top of the building, but to make the matter all the more ridiculous the figure did not reach the net but caught on the electric light wires where it hung until released by means of a pole.

The parade started at shortly before 11 o'clock and was a very creditable exhibition of the tubs entered. Protection of Amesbury alone had not arrived when the playout began.

The order was as follows:

Platoon of police, under the command of Sergt. Mark E. Watson.

Chief Marshal J. W. Connor.

FIRST DIVISION.

Chief of Staff James H. Hunt

Aids—Pearl Blanchard, Arthur St. Onge, Arthur F. Cummings, Charles Reynolds, Augustus Burque, W. H. Anderson.

First infantry band, A. H. Drumm, leader.

Chief Whitney's horse and wagon.

Nashua fire department in the following order.

Steamer 1 company, Frank M. Kelley, foreman.

Steamer 2 company, R. B. Manchester, foreman.

Steamer 3 company, Levi Smith, foreman.

Steamer 4 company, Charles Sanders, foreman.

Chemical company, W. A. Fuller, foreman.

Truck 1 company, A. H. Streeter, Truck 2 company, foreman, 35 men.

SECOND DIVISION.

Chief of Staff George Tupper.

Aids—Harry Wilson, Harold Lewis, Eugene Dunckley, William Dion, Arthur Larongue.

Granite State drum corps.

Carmine of Wilton, John Stanton, foreman.

Fire apparatus in order of companies above named.

Uxbons of Pepperell, Frank Johnson, foreman, 40 men.

City of Lowell, C. A. Gilman, foreman, 30 men.

Manchester fife and drum corps.

Uncle Sam's of Manchester, John Stone, foreman, 36 men.

Warrens of Pepperell, L. E. Robbins foreman, 36 men.

Washington of Peabody, George Burnham foreman, 75 men.

General Stark fife and drum corps.

Germania of Manchester, H. A. Morrill foreman, 45 men.

Lawrence Veteran fife and drum corps.

City of Lawrence, G. W. Kingston foreman, 35 men.

Waltham Vets fife and drum corps.

Watch City of Waltham, S. F. Perkins foreman, 40 men.

Thomas W. Lane of Manchester, S. W. Couch foreman, 30 men.

The parade moved over the following route: Main street to Concord street, countermarch around the monument to Main street, Main to Pearl, to Palm, to Ledge, to Hollis, to Main, via Main to Temple street.

The members of the Nashua fire department left the parade proper at Ledge street and returned to the Central fire station.

Th visiting firemen halted on Ledge street and were entertained for half an hour at the Labine block.

The play out began at 1.30 o'clock under the direction of the following officials: Judges Charles H. Hooper of Peabody, E. H. Wason, Lelie I. Minard and E. V. Putnam of Nashua, Edward Finnerty of Milford, A. W. Glines of Manchester; starter and timekeeper, W. A. Barnes; score keepers, T. J. Down and Dennis Carney; superintendent of muster, F. E. Miller.

The T. W. Lane tub of Manchester, N. H., won the first prize, being one foot, ten inches ahead of the city of Lawrence. The Washingtons of Peabody, Mass., were third, the Watch City of Waltham, fourth, and the Warrens of Pepperell, Mass., fifth.

Summary:

T. W. Lane, Manchester, prize, $150; 206 feet 8¼ inches.

City of Lawrence, $75, 205 feet, 10¼ inches.

Washington, Peabody, $50, 197 feet, 8½ inches.

Watch City, Waltham, $25, 195 feet 9½ inches.

Warren, Pepperell, Mass., $10, 192 feet, 5¼ inches.

Nashua Vets, Nashua, 189 feet 8½ inches.

Germania, Manchester, N. H., 189 feet, 1½ inches.

Union, East Pepperell, 184 feet, 10¼ inches.

City of Lowell, Lowell, 181 feet, 5½ inches.

Carmi, Wilton, N. H., 177 feet 1½ inches.

Uncle Sam, Manchester, N. H., 176 feet, 8½ inches.

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JOHN L. GONE

HIS FRIENDS UNABLE TO LOCATE HIM.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13. A good many St. Louis persons, deputy sheriffs among them, are interested in ascertaining the whereabouts of John L. Sullivan, ex-champion pugilist, who cannot be found at his place of business or in his usual haunts.

His saloon partner, John Gillespie, says John L. went off last Saturday when a lot of old friends from Boston "blew in" to Sullivan's place and made merry with him. The fact of Sullivan's disappearance became known yesterday when a deputy sheriff sought to serve him with a subpoena to appear and answer questions as to the number of men living at the rooming house over Gillespie's saloon. Seventy-five men are registered from this number, which is in ward 5, and the grand jury is trying to discover whether all of them live there. A subpoena was also issued for Gillespie, who says more than 75 men live there.

This is the time to buy coal. See Fred H. Bourke, 984 Gorham street.

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REV. R. A. GREENE

ADDRESSED UNIVERSALIST CONFERENCE AT LAWRENCE.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 13.—The Merrimack valley conference of Universalist churches was held in the local church yesterday, Rev. W. R. Libbey of Methuen presiding. Rev. Dr. W. E. Gibbs of this city conducted the morning praise service. The sermon was by Rev. Lewis E. Pease of Nashua, N. H. Dinner was served in the vestry. Rev. W. E. Gaskin of West Derry, N. H., invoking the divine blessing.

In the afternoon addresses were made by Rev. A. C. White of Haverhill, Rev. R. A. Greene of Lowell and Rev. F. W. Perkins of Haverhill. These officers were unanimously elected:

Rev. A. C. White, president; Rev. Lewis E. Pease, vice president; Rev. F. W. Gibbs of Amesbury, secretary and treasurer. It was voted to hold a district rally meeting in Grace church, Lowell, next April. It was voted to invite the Derry, N. H., church to join the conference.

MORE NEW LOOMS

MERRIMACK WOOLEN MILLS IN DRAFT TO ADD FORTY.

The Merrimack woolen mills continue to operate their mill nights. It is reported they are to add 40 new looms. A new steel stack has been built for the boilers. The boiler plant has been somewhat changed. A double horizontal turbine water wheel, made by the James Hunter Machine Co., has been installed. Ralph Black, formerly a machinist has been made master mechanic in place of Mr. Fagan.

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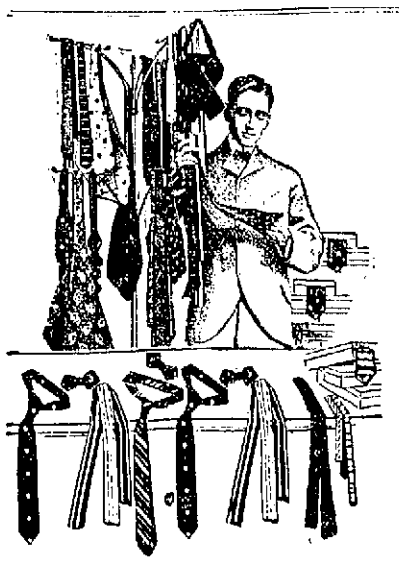

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ESSIG GUARDED

Witness in Weinseimer Case Fears for Life

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The story of a threat alleged to have been made by Philip Weinseimer, former president of the building trades alliance, to "use a gun if anything happened," was told today by Geo. Essig in the court of general sessions where Weinseimer is on trial on a charge of extortion. Essig had told of his alleged dealings with Weinseimer, claiming that he paid the defendant $2700 for calling off a strike. The last payment, he said, was made in Weinseimer's office in marked bills the day the labor leader was arrested.

After the transaction had been completed and while they were going down the elevator from Weinseimer's office Essig said, Weinseimer turned to him and said: "I've got a lot of friends and if anything happens they will make the people responsible sweat for it. I can use a gun as well as any one else."

Essig said Weinseimer was very much excited at the time and before the elevator had reached the lower floor again turned to his companion and said:

"You know that you are as guilty as I am."

When they stepped from the elevator detectives were at hand and at a nod from Essig they placed Weinseimer under arrest.

It became known today that Essig had told several days ago that he was in fear of his life and that since that time has been constantly guarded by detectives.

LAWYER RAINES

RAISED NOVEL POINT IN WEINSEIMER'S CASE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—That the defence of "Diamond Phil" Weinseimer, or at least part of it, will be that the $2700 which Weinseimer is alleged to have extorted from George J. Essig was not Essig's money, but the Johnson-Kahn Company's, the builders of the Chatsworth apartment house in Riverside Drive, where Essig had the plumbing contract, was disclosed yesterday by George Raines, Diamond Phil's chief counsel. Mr. Raines had been carefully cross-examining Essig, who had been on the stand most of the day, as to his financial dealings with the company, and sought to get from the witness a statement that part of the money paid to him by the company was intended for Weinseimer.

The objection of Mr. Rand to this line of questioning was sustained by Judge Newburger, and Mr. Raines asked that the witness be excluded from the room, so that he could explain the object of his questions. At Judge Newburger's direction Essig left the room.

Then Mr. Raines said that it was the duty of the people to show that the money paid to Weinseimer was Essig's money. If it wasn't Mr. Raines said, it couldn't have been extorted from Essig through fear. It had been shown pretty conclusively, Mr. Raines added, that the money came from the Johnson-Kahn Company.

"Suppose Essig had borrowed it?" Judge Newburger asked. "Would that change your position?"

Mr. Raines said that he wasn't prepared to discuss that just then. Continuing he said that the court would have to charge the jury on two things; whether the money was extorted from Essig through fear and whether or not Essig was simply a clerk, or dummy, for the Johnson-Kahn company in distributing the money.

"Frankly, I will say," said Judge Newberger, "that I think not. A contract has been produced in evidence here showing Essig's relation to the company."

It was the first real setback that the defence had had and Mr. Raines seemed to feel it. When Essig was recalled to the stand Mr. Raines tried in various ways to get in the testimony he wanted, but Essig was not allowed to answer.

The story Essig told of how Weinseimer had held him up recalled vividly the trial of Sam Parks. Weinseimer became uneasy and more than once glanced nervously at his wife, who sat in the courtroom all day. She had a quiet crying spell several times.

It was on Dec. 21 last when Essig made the contract with the Johnson-Kahn company for the plumbing work on the Chatsworth. The next day he had a visit from two walking delegates of the plumbers' union. Five days later one of the delegates took him to see Weinseimer at a meeting of the plumbers' union in Maennerchor hall. Essig had been told that he couldn't go on with the plumbing until the men who had been working for Frank Rendall, the plumber whose contract was jumped, had been paid for waiting time. Essig was introduced to Weinseimer as "this is the plumber who wants to pay the waiting time on the Chatsworth job, and he wants to see if he can get the privilege of the floor at the meeting to explain it to the men."

"I told Weinseimer," said Essig, "that I had a certified check in my pocket and I wanted to pay the waiting time. I wanted to start work in the morning. 'You needn't be in a hurry,' said Weinseimer. 'You won't get the privilege of the floor. I'll do the talking. Come down and see me at 21 Park row tomorrow.'"

"'You got that Chatsworth job,' Weinseimer said to me the next day when I called. 'Show me the contract.' I showed it to him. 'I understand that they're going to put salt water in there. What's that worth?' he asked. I told him that didn't make any difference, I wanted to pay the waiting time, but I didn't know the amount or the names of the men. I wanted to get to work the next day. He said: 'There's no hurry about getting to work. You're not in the plumbing game for your health. You're in it for money. I'm in the labor end for the money. Now you've got that job, and it's worth $3000 to me. Now, if I don't get it you or no other — will start the work. I want $1000 in cash. They won't kelch me as they did Sam Parks.'

"I saw Weinseimer the next day. He asked me what I was going to do. I said 'pay.' I told him that he was asking too much and that I could only give $2500. He said he had to divide with other people and the least he could take was $2700. I agreed to put up $1000 in cash and the rest in notes. I wouldn't pay it all in cash because then he would have the best of me. He asked me how long I would be on the job, and I asked him not to hold me down too tight on the notes."

Weinseimer first had the notes made out one way, but then decided that they should be made out in blank on the Hamilton National bank. When the $1000 in cash had been paid Weinseimer told Essig that he could "go ahead with the job." The first note became due and Essig got a telephone message at the Chatsworth.

"I went to the 'phone," said Essig. "Somebody said, 'This is Brown.' 'I don't know you,' I said. 'Oh, yes you do,' was the reply, 'this is Weinseimer. When are you coming down to pay that note?' I told him in a couple of days, and he said, 'All right.'"

Essig went to the bank and got the money to pay the note. The note was returned to him and it was produced with five other notes which Essig said he paid. The first note was for $200 and the others for $250 each. In all he gave seven notes, but before the last was paid a strike was ordered on Essig's job.

There was an icebox job at the Chatsworth, and one day Weinseimer asked Essig if he wanted it. "No," said Essig, "I don't know anything about that work."

"Well," replied Weinseimer, "I guess you don't want to make money."

Essig paid between $900 and $1,000 for "waiting time" for the men who had struck on the Rendall job.

"And they didn't do a stroke of work for that money?" asked Mr. Rand.

"Not a bit," said Essig.

To the surprise of Mr. Rand and to his apparent satisfaction, Mr. Raines at the close of the day's session, questioned Essig as to what happened on the day of Weinseimer's arrest, August 17. Essig said that he went to the district-attorney's office with Charles Cohen, counsel for the Building Trades Employers' association, and there saw Assistant District-Attorney Kresel. Two days before his plumbers had been ordered on strike, and Essig had telephoned to Weinseimer.

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JAPANESE WINNING

Fiercest Battle of War Now Raging South of Mukden

Japanese Report Repulse of Russian Force—Early Russian Reports Claim Victory—Four Days of Most Terrible Fighting

While containing no positive information regarding specific results, today's dispatches from both Russian and Japanese sources seem to indicate that the tide of the general engagement now in progress between the Hun and Taitse rivers, is favorable to Marshal Oyama. A Tokio dispatch filed at 4 o'clock this afternoon says that the latest reports from the front tell of continued Japanese successes while St. Petersburg confessing that no reports of today's developments have been received, admits in the previous fighting "The Russians had not been entirely successful in defending their positions."

"The atmosphere at the war office," adds the dispatch, "is by no means cheerful." The lack of advices from the Russian front is regarded as significant. Oyama, reporting on yesterday's results, expresses satisfaction and says that his center and right armies made substantial gains. The keynote of the battle seems to be a counter attack delivered by Oyama to offset Kuropatkin's blow at the Japanese right. As soon as the weight of this movement on the part of the Russians became apparent, the Japanese commander responded with an attack in force on his opponents' right, evidently with the hope of crumpling Kuropatkin's western columns back and diverting some strength from the Russian assault upon his own western position. Concerning this flanking movement Oyama reports that it "is progressing favorably toward the attainment of our first object." Oku reports the character of 25 additional Russian guns making a total of thirty that have fallen into the hands of the Japanese.

JAPANESE FORCE ASSUMES OFFENSIVE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13—5.25 p.m.—The war office up to this hour declares that no additional reports have arrived from the front. General Sakharoff's report given out only brings the story of the battle up to the evening of October 11, when no decisive results had been obtained by either side although he makes it plain that the Japanese had assumed the offensive and that the Russians had not been entirely successful in defending their positions. The atmosphere at the war office is by no means cheerful. The failure to receive news of the Russian left wing might possibly be interpreted as tending to confirm the Tokio report that the Russians operating against the Japanese right had been enveloped.

FOURTH DAY OF THE BATTLE

MUKDEN, Oct. 13.—The battle south of this place continued throughout Wednesday with ever increasing fury. In respect to desperateness, bravery and bloodshed it far exceeds even the battle of Liao Yang.

Towards evening the Japanese repeatedly assumed the offensive. The fight continues today with unabated fury and determination. It is now the fourth day of the battle.

RUSSIAN GUNS TAKEN BY JAPS

TOKIO, Oct. 13.—4 p.m. General Oku has captured 25 Russian guns, making a total of about 30 Russian guns which have fallen into the hands of the Japanese since the battle began. The latest reports from the front tell of continued Japanese successes.

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IN PITTSFIELD

State Brandh F. of L. Will Meet

LYNN, Oct. 13.—President Joseph Jackson of the slasher tenders' union of Fall River, arraigned the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, at the morning session of the state branch here today for inactivity in affording relief to the Fall River strikers.

A resolution was adopted by the convention calling on the national council, through President Gompers, to come to the relief of the Fall River strikers.

Delegates favored levying an assessment of five or ten cents a week on all union members, but the state branch has no authority to do this.

The convention voted to instruct all members not to purchase non-union cigars, tobacco and cigarettes, and to buy only union made crackers.

The peace congress was favored in a resolution.

Because there were so many absentees at the opening session the election of officers not completed yet, was not taken up until 11 o'clock. President Crosier expects to complete the work so adjournment may be made late this afternoon.

Resolutions presented by Frank K. Foster of Boston of sympathy and sorrow at the death of Senator Hoar were adopted.

The convention pledged itself to purchase only union made tobacco. Delegate Cohen, of Lynn presented resolutions declaring against the practice of foreman and superintendents in factories circulating subscription papers for charity funds or other purposes.

Pittsfield was chosen for the next state convention. Albert Lemarsh of Holyoke was elected fifth vice president, but the vote for the two remaining members of the legislative committee did not result in a choice and the contest went over until the afternoon. A resolution was adopted calling for union labels on all bottled beer.

FOR MURDER

TWO INDICTMENTS RETURNED BY GRAND JURY.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 13—Two indictments for murder and one for manslaughter, were returned by the special grand jury which reported here today.

For the murder of Mrs. Mary Crowley, at Pawtucket, John Allingham was held without bail for trial.

He entered a plea of not guilty.

Antonio Nardozzo was indicted for the murder of Mrs. Filomena Pedoiadi in East Providence.

He too, pleaded not guilty and was held without bail.

A true bill was returned in the manslaughter case of Tomasso LaNinfa, accused of causing the death of James McGirr by stabbing. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $200 bail for trial.

Three indictments for which the aggregate bail required was $900 were found against John Lavin of this city on two charges of the larceny of surgical instruments and medicine cases from two doctors and one charge of breaking and entering. He pleaded not guilty to all three charges.

AT REGISTRATION

SESSIONS CONTINUE LIGHT IN AFTERNOON AND HEAVY IN THE EVENING.

The registrars held another quiet afternoon's session this afternoon, though they expect another rush this evening for this year all their business appears to come in the evening. They are confident that the number of names put on this year for state election will exceed all previous records.

HIGHLAND SCHOOL

SUPT. O'CONNOR WILL BEGIN ON ADDITION NEXT WEEK.

Supt. O'Connor has ordered the lumber for the annex to the Highland school and it will arrive here next week. Then the superintendent will proceed to work immediately with the superstructure and the children will be in their new schoolrooms before Thanksgiving day.

Supt. O'Connor has arranged for a conference with Inspector White of the state police force in relation to the proposed new rear exit to the Green school with a view to building as inexpensive an exit as is permissable.

BISHOP DELANEY SAILS.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—Two bishops sailed on the White Star liner Cymric for Liverpool today. They were Right Rev. John Percival, bishop of Hereford, who came over here to attend the international peace congress, but who has several times attended the Episcopal convention, and the Rt. Rev. John B. Delaney, D. D., the newly appointed bishop of Manchester, N. H., who will pay his respects to Pope Pius X.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
SPECIAL BARGAIN DAYS

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AIKEN ST. BRIDGE

The Floor is Becoming Dangerous For Horses

FLOORING IS SADLY OUT OF REPAIR

While Order for Repairs Is Held up

At the next meeting of the common council several important loan orders will come up which the lower branch laid on the table and the aldermen have sent down since the last meeting of that body, that should be passed without further loss of time. Principal among them is the order for the paving of the floor of the Aiken street bridge; which passed the board of aldermen two meetings ago but was side tracked by the common council, not because of any objection to the material to be used but because some of the members thought that there was no need for the repairs at this time. The floor of the bridge is in bad shape and any driver who has occasion to use it will testify and it is fast becoming dangerous for horses. The blocks proposed will last 10 years and probable more while the plank flooring now down wears out every two years. Whatever form of paving the city council decides to use should be voted at once and save the city the cost of suits for damages that must follow unless repairs are made very soon.

FUNERALS

SOUSA—The funeral of Constantine Sousa took place at 8.30 o'clock this morning from his late home, 72 Charles street, and a mass of requiem was said at St. Anthony's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Lee was the celebrant. There were solos by James E. Donnelly and Thomas P. Boulger. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery and the bearers were members of a Portuguese benefit society of which the deceased was a member. Undertaker T. J. McHerney had charge of the funeral.

DAVEY—The funeral of Margaret A. Davey took place this morning from the home of her sister, Mrs. Michael Sullivan, Newhall street, and was very largely attended. The funeral proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where requiem mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. The pallbearers were Messrs. Simon Cook, Charles Rounds, John Connors, Harrington, John Buckley, John J. O'Connor, esq. Mr. Jeremiah Shorkey was usher at the house and church.

Among the floral offerings were those from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson, Mr. Shorkey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rounds, Mr. F. A. Cavanaugh and the Misses Morris. Burial in the Catholic cemetery, interment being in charge of Undertaker Donovan.

YOUNG—Felix Young, infant son of F. A. and Alice, died last night at the home of his parents, No. 50 Liberty street. The funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock and the interment was in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

EXTRA

VERDICT OF $4995

Jury Out All Night In Brunnelle Case

One of the Largest Verdicts Since the Celebrated Crane-Riley Case—Interesting Suit Against Boston & Northern On Short List

The jury in the case of Brunnelle vs. the Lowell Electric Light Co. this morning returned a verdict of $4995 for the plaintiff after a continuous session in their apartments of 17 hours and 15 minutes.

The jury retired at noon yesterday and sat up all night on the case. They arrived at their verdict just 15 minutes before the opening of this morning's session.

When court opened the jury announced that they were ready to report and they filed in a few moments later and announced their verdict.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles who was custodian of the jury, has been in poor health for some time and his all-night vigil told on him this morning.

The verdict of $4995 was generally discussed in and about the court room as it was about the largest awarded in a Lowell session since the celebrated case of Crane vs. Riley, when a verdict of $8000 was returned. In both cases John J. Hogan, Esq., was the counsel for the plaintiff.

During the progress of the Brunnelle case, Mr. Dent for the defendant, saved several exceptions and the case will now probably go to the supreme court.

A case in the short list which promises to be equally as interesting as the Brunnelle case is that of McKiernan vs. the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co., in which a live wire across the railroad track figures. In this case also, John J. Hogan appears for the plaintiff and speaking of it, Mr. Hogan said: "The knowledge of electricity which I acquired through the expert testimony in the Brunnelle case will come in very nicely in the trial of the McKiernan case, in which the deadly fluid figures once more." Lawyer Hurlburt of Lynn will appear for the defence in the McKiernan case.

The case of L. H. Newcomb vs. Edward M. Tucke, an action of contract with the ad damnum $550, went to trial this morning. The plaintiff is a stock broker and claims that the defendant owes him for stock bought and sold by plaintiff for defendant.

In the case of Parker vs. Young, Wakefield and Cambridge parties, on a replevin case the court ordered a verdict for the defendant.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

BEGINS PROCEEDINGS AGAINST 21 CORPORATIONS.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—Attorney General Parker has brought proceedings in the supreme court against 21 Massachusetts corporations. His object is to secure convictions for failure to file the usual certificates with the secretary within three months after their annual meetings.

DEATHS

BELLEROSE—Stanislas, aged one year, child of Stanislas and Pamela Bellerose, died Tuesday at the home of his parents, 203 Cheever street.

BOYLE—Thomas C. Boyle, aged three months, child of Thomas J. and Mary E. Boyle, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 259 Branch street.

Your head is all right, so is your heart

It's your liver that is not all right. And your sick-headaches, biliousness, dizzy spells, indigestion, constipation prove it. Ayer's Pills are regular liver pills. They make wrong livers right. Sugar-coated, all vegetable. Sold for 60 years. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

OFFICER DUNCAN

WILL BOWL WITH THE CONNEMARAS INSTEAD OF CAWLEY.

Officer Duncan has joined hands with the Connemaras. He was enrolled yesterday and will bowl in place of Officer Cawley, resigned. Officer Duncan is an old time bowler and he thinks he can give the team's winnings a gentle boost.

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Fancy Full Cream Cheese.....12c lb.
Best Salt Pork Ribs.....7c lb.
Good Bean Pork.....6c lb.
Excellent Hamburger Steak.....7c lb.
Fancy Smoked Shoulders.....9½c lb.

3 cans Challenge Milk.....24c
3-lb. can Baked Beans.....7c
Campbell's Soups.....8c can
15c can Red Salmon.....10c
25c pail Jelly.....19c
3-lb. can Pineapple.....9c
3 cans Best Peas.....25c
Very Good Corn.....10c can
10c bag Salt.....5c
4 cans Best Potash.....25c
Best Rolled Oats.....3c lb.
20c bottle Superior Catsup.....12c
15c bottle Eng. Chow Chow.....10c

15c bottle Mixed Pickles.....10c
15c jar German Mustard.....10c
Very Best Cabbage.....1c lb.
Very Best Squash.....1c lb.
Kennedy's Soda Crackers.....5c lb.
Kennedy's Ginger Snaps.....5c lb.
Kennedy's Lemon Crackers, 5c lb.
Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers, 5c lb.
Kennedy's Oyster Crackers, 5c lb.
Very Best Pure Java and Mocha Coffee.....25c lb.

SPECIAL—The Very Best Granulated Sugar, 5½c lb.
100 Dark Blue Stamps with 1 lb. of our Famous 60c Tea.

All goods guaranteed...Prompt delivery to all parts of Lowell and vicinity.

6 O'CLOCK

HIS INGRATITUDE

Sent Francis H. Marcus to House of Correction

"Who is he?" asked Judge Hadley of Jacob Nannis.

Jacob was the complainant in a larceny case in police court and the court wanted to know about the defendant.

"He's a Jew," replied Jacob.

"I didn't ask abou this nationality," said the court. "I wanted to know who he is."

"I thought he was a 'greenhorn,'" said Jacob, "but that was the time I got left," and then Jacob proceeded to tell the court a story of ingratitude that cost Francis H. Marcus ten months' freedom.

Marcus was charged with the larceny of $43 from Nannis and the latter's story to the court was, in substance, as follows: "Marcus came to me one day about two years ago, and said he was hard up. He didn't have any money and he wanted me to put him to work. I didn't want anybody at the time, but I told him to go to work because I thought he was a greenhorn and in hard luck. He had on a green coat, but that was all that was green about that fellow.

"He wore a pair of army shoes and I wondered where he got them. I asked him where got the shoes and he told me that a man in Manchester, N. H., gave them to him. His pants were full of holes and my wife told me that I ought to get him some new clothes. I bought him a new suit. He threw away the green coat, the army shoes, and the pants that were full of holes. All the time he talked like a gentleman but he was fooling me. He took me for an E. Z. mark and I guess he was right.

"I took him into my home and gave him bed and board. The first Sunday he was there the little girl was taken sick. I said to my wife that we would go to Dr. Eaton's in Westford street and see what was the matter with the little girl. My wife had a watch and chain that I gave to her before we were married. I paid $63 for the watch and chain. When we went to see the doctor she wore the watch and chain and Marcus looked ugly at it.

"I thought of course that he was a greenhorn and that he had never seen anything like it before, so I did not mind any more about it. A few days later I sent him to dinner and while he was eating dinner my wife asked him to mind the little girl because she wanted to go down cellar for some coal. The fire had gone out from the stove. While she was gone Marcus went to look for the watch and chain, but he didn't find it. I knew he looked for it because everything was turned upside down.

"Then he went to the bed where we slept and he took $13 from beneath the pillow. When my wife came back from the cellar he was still eating. I told him to bring my dinner to the store. My wife gave him my dinner and he left the house. He did not bring my dinner and I did not see him again for two years. The other day I was standing at the corner of Cross and Salem streets in Boston and I saw him. I asked him about my money. He said he would pay me $1 a week. I couldn't afford to go to Boston and collect $1 a week from a man who had stolen my money. I did not want to have him arrested and I went to see his father. I told him all about it and his father told me to have him arrested. I went and done what his father said and here we are, he's over there and I'm here."

Nannis further informed the court that he had learned that Marcus had enlisted in the United States army in New Bedford and that he had deserted in New York. He enlisted under a wrong name. Judge Hadley listened very patiently to Nannis' story and sentenced Marcus to ten months in the house of correction.

BLACKED HER EYE.

Alfred Groleau was arraigned yesterday on a complaint charging him with assault and battery on his wife, and pleaded guilty. His wife took the stand and displayed a black eye which she said her husband handed out to her while in a drunken rage. She was willing, however, to give him another show providing the court would place him under bonds to keep the peace. As she passed the dock he asked her to make it as hard as possible for him, and she did. The court, however, decided that the assault could not be passed over lightly and Groleau was given a sentence of three months in the house of correction.

THE DRUNKEN OFFENDERS.

Prominent among the drunks in the dock was John Gilogy. John is an old man and a well known character in Lowell. John has been living at the city farm. A few days ago he took it into his head that a quiet stroll would do him all the good in the world and he strolled into the city. He didn't say a word to any one at the farm as to his intentions. He had a few nickles in his jeans and when he arrived in the city he proceeded to fill up. Yesterday he took few too many and got arrested. Because of his age and other things, Judge Hadley allowed him to be taken back to the workhouse this morning. John had a narrow escape, however, because had the court dealt with him as others had been dealt with, he would have been sent to the house of correction, at East Cambridge.

Clerk Savage abandoned the semi colon in the suspension of sentences today and adopted a long dash in its stead with the result that there were a few cases of heart failure. Octave Levesque was sentenced to the house of correction and the sentence was suspended. Here is the way Mr. Savage read the sentence: "You are sentenced to the house of correction for a term of three months——that sentence is suspended and you are now placed on probation for a term of six months."

Levesque dropped where the dash appears, but he recovered quickly and looked happy when he realized that the sentence had been suspended.

Peter Flannery was another to receive a suspended sentence and beside the long pause adopted by the clerk the words "hard labor" were also added baffling and Peter Flannery looked as if his name would appear first on the rush list when "hard labor" was mentioned.

John J. Hart was continued [illegible] Four first offenders were fined $2 each and two women were released.

THE CANTEEN

OF GREAT MORAL BENEFIT TO ARMY SAYS GEN. BURTON.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13. That the canteen is of great moral benefit to the army is the claim made by Brigadier-General G. H. Burton, in his annual report as inspector-general of the army to the secretary of war made public today.

"The absence of this," he says, "leads to sickness, the commission of military offenses, desertion, and other crimes, as well as impaired discipline, by driving men to resort to the low dives and groggeries that have sprung up like mushrooms near military reservations since the prohibition law was enacted. In fact the canteen feature is not only a benefit morally, but the profits derived from the sales of beer and light wines are used to improve the mess as well as for the purchase of periodicals, publications, etc., all of which add to the soldier's comfort and contentment."

OFFICERS ELECTED

BY SUPREME COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF FR. MATHEW.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13. The supreme council of the Knights of Father Mathew has closed its 21st national convention. Much time was spent in the consideration of the question of a readjustment of the insurance rates of the order. The committee of five which had been appointed to consider the matter, reported in favor of a level rate submitted by the officers' association of Chicago. It was voted by the convention to have this schedule examined by an actuary, who will submit his report to each local council in order that the matter may be dealt with deliberately at the next biennial convention.

The officers of the supreme council for the next term are:

Supreme spiritual director, Rev. Jas. L. Coffey, St. Louis, reelected; supreme chief, Sir Knight William O'Brien, St. Louis, reelected; supreme deputy, Sir Knight John R. O'Reilley, Chicago; supreme recorder, Thomas S. Bowdom, St. Louis, reelected; supreme banker, John J. Lonz, St. Louis.

It was decided to hold the next biennial convention at Chicago.

GUTTED BY FIRE

CAMDEN HAS HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLAR BLAZE.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—The 4th factory of Wm. Scull & Co., wholesale dealers in coffee, tea, and spices, was gutted by fire today. Two large buildings adjoining the factory, one of which was used as a storage warehouse and the other for salesrooms, were badly damaged by fire and water.

The loss is estimated at $190,000.

BURNER EXPLODED

NINE CHILDREN WERE SERIOUSLY BURNED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—Nine children have been seriously burned in the explosion of a gasoline burner which had caught fire in a restaurant and had been thrown out on the sidewalk.

All the children who happened to be in the vicinity hurried to the scene to watch the excitement. There was a circle of perhaps 20 gathered around the burner when it exploded.

SHOT HIMSELF

BECAUSE YOUNG WOMAN REFUSED HIS ATTENTIONS.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Oct. 13.—Men walking on the tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, half a mile west of here, early today, found the body of Joseph Stankovits. He had killed himself by shooting. Friends of the man say he was infatuated with a young woman here, and that she had refused his attentions.

HAS 1900 MEMBERS.

ROCKLAND, Maine, Oct. 13. A membership in Maine of 1900 was reported at the closing session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars today. The Juvenile Templars have 42 members.

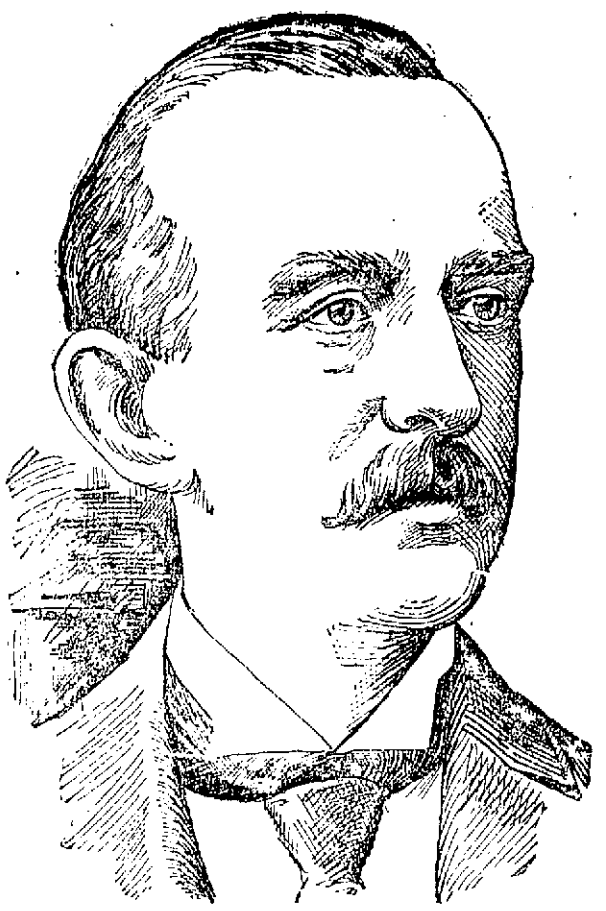
Resolutions were adopted endorsing the work of the Maine Civic League and the Woman's Temperance Union. The Lodge resolved that the cause of a Healthy Temperance Sentiment would be promoted by the Good Templars at any time when they shall be asked to do so by which they have been so [illegible] by the W. C. T. U. in the past.

Courtesies [illegible] were cordially thanked for the [illegible] in the order and his [illegible] last night. Bangor was selected as the place of the annual session next April. The grand officers and deputies installed the same person at Thursday's close of the session.

CARRIAGE DEALERS' OFFICERS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13. At the closing session here of the National Carriage Dealers' Protective Association's 27th annual convention, officers were elected as follows:

President, M. H. Tanner, Winsted, Conn.; first vice president, N. D. Levy, Gouverneur, N. Y.; second vice president, O. H. Probey, Washington, D. C.; third vice president, T. H. Ackbuckle, Erie, Pa.; secretary, L. S. Remsen, Brooklyn, N. Y.; treasurer, J. A. Kennedy, Staunton, Va.



EX-GOVERNOR WINTHROP MURRAY CRANE, APPOINTED TO THE VACANCY CAUSED BY THE DEATH OF THE LATE U. S. SENATOR HOAR.

NUNS ATTACKED

They Were Mobbed in Arizona

FOUNDLINGS TAKEN FROM THEM

Were Finally Obliged to Leave the Town

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Three Sisters of Charity, four nurses and Dr. M. Whitney Swayne left this city for Clifton and Morenci, Ariz., with forty young children from the New York Foundling asylum, intending to place their charges with Mexican families in that neighborhood. The sisters and nurses got back yesterday, nervous wrecks. They had been mobbed, threatened and run out of town, and had left nineteen of their charges in the hands of the Americans of Clifton. "Kidnapped from us out and out," the sisters say.

The authorities of the foundling asylum didn't know it, but Clifton is one of the places where the old West flourishes. People in those parts carry their guns in front ready for action, and they use them. There is a big Mexican population; but the whites—the born Americans—look upon a Mexican in those parts as a Georgia democrat looks upon George Washington Jones, colored, or as a Californian looks upon a Chinaman.

The sisters didn't know that, though. They were going on a report made by the Rev. C. Mondin (a Catholic priest of that district), who said that Mexicans would make excellent Catholic foster parents for the children. They had twenty children destined for Clifton and twenty for Morenci. In just this way, they have placed foundlings all over the West.

They got to Clifton late at night. The new foster-parents were waiting for them at the station. They wouldn't wait until morning, they wanted the children at once. Finally sixteen were handed over and four were taken to the hotel. Next morning, with the twenty-four children, the party drove over to Morenci and left fifteen. It was agreed, say the sisters, that all the homes were to be inspected later and the children taken away if the foster parents weren't treating them well.

About the time they got back to the hotel at Morenci with their left-overs, say the sisters, things began to happen. Two big men in leather chaps and with conspicuous guns came into the hotel and ordered them to take the children away from the Mexicans. They said that they were deputies. The sisters shudder when they recall the oblivious language of the "deputies."

To keep the peace, the Mexicans brought the children back, all fifteen.

About that time trouble broke out in Clifton. The Americans there objected to "turning out white babies on Mexicans." When they heard that, the two Morenci deputies entered the hotel and arrested both Dr. Swayne and the Rev. C. Mandin, the priest.

"No, I can't tell you the charge," said Mother Theresa Vincent of the foundling asylum yesterday, "but when one of the sisters protested and talked about Law they said:

"'We are the Law here.'

"They said other things to the Sisters which can't be repeated," added Mother Theresa.

The doctor and the priest got bail and went back to Clifton. A mob, headed by officers of the law, got hold of them and made them take all the sixteen children away from the Mexican families and round them up at the hotel. At 4 o'clock in the morning the mob broke in, took all sixteen from the hotel and paroled them out among American families. The sisters weren't assaulted, they say.

On the same morning, the two officers of Morenci and their friends, all showing guns, made were free with the [illegible] quarters in Morenci. There were nine children there.

"They walked through the place as they liked," said a sister yesterday. "Even when one of them saw a pretty child whom he liked he just took it. We begged them to stop, but they [illegible] and swore at us. One of them said: 'What is a sister, anyway?' They carried off three children altogether."

The mob in Clifton grew. They offered no violence, but every one had a gun, and they rambled through the sisters' rooms in a steady procession. Here again, say the sisters, they used the common Western variety of profanity and showed no respect for sex or cloth. All night half-drunken men invaded their rooms and kept them up, and at 5 o'clock in the morning an officer warned them that if they didn't leave they would be killed.

Dr. Swayne talked to the mob and finally struck a compromise. If they left town at once they would be allowed to take away the twenty-one children still in their hands, but the three kidnapped at Morenci and the sixteen apportioned at Clifton had to stay. The mob, still making remarks, chased them to the station.

They distributed their charges in Kansas and came back to New York. Dr. Swayne was so broken by the experience he had to stop on the way to recuperate, and the nurses say that they wouldn't go through it again for all Arizona.

Mother Theresa Vincent declares that she is going to take legal action to get the nineteen children back. She is especially indignant about the three removed by main force in Morenci. They are all under 4 years of age.

"Race prejudice was the trouble, wasn't it?" one of the sisters was asked.

"No," she said. "Religious prejudice, mostly."

BOAT IN DANGER

Schooner Ashore on Long Shoal

NANTUCKET, Oct. 13.—A two masted schooner is ashore on Long Shoal near Cross Rip off this island, with signals of distress flying. She is too far out for her identity to be ascertained and the sea raised by the northeast gale is too rough for attempts to be made to reach her from this shore.

She is in a dangerous position.

ASKS ASSISTANCE.

WOODS HOLE, Oct. 13.—A message was received today from Nantucket asking that a tug be sent to the assistance of a schooner ashore on Cross Rip.

A northeast gale was blowing and up to noon the sea was too boisterous for a tug to leave.

PRICE OF FOWL

TOOK BIG DROP BECAUSE OF INFLUX OF WATER DUCKS.

Fowl displayed several points in the local market today, and not until the news went the rounds that Jack Daley and Charlie Frost had returned from York Beach with 136 water ducks, did the public know the direct cause of the sudden slump. Jack and Charlie are crack shots, and they are also wise to the fact the way to have the people believe in hunting and fishing stories is to deliver the goods. There was a water duck on every of many tables in this city for dinner today for which Jack and Charlie are responsible. Charlie said they could have brought to Lowell twice the number of birds but the natives [illegible] of them to leave a few on the wing just for old time sake.

CAUGHT IN MACHINE.

While at work on a carding machine at the [illegible] Banding Co., yesterday, John [illegible] of Dutton street caught his [illegible] in the machine and sustained [illegible] injuries. He was removed to the hospital where his wounds were dressed.

[illegible] IN VERMONT.

[illegible] 12 Vermont encountered [illegible] storm of the season during [illegible] The snow began to fall [illegible] and continued uninterrupted [illegible] morning. The flakes fell [illegible] in an unprecedented manner [illegible] season of the year. The sudden [illegible] wintry conditions was the [illegible] huntsmen to go into the woods and the fox.

AGENT [illegible] RESIGNS.

BOSTON, [illegible] E. P. Chapin has resigned [illegible] agent of the American Wood [illegible] company. The office has been abolished.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

WOMAN SET FREE

She Was Held on a Murder Charge

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Rose Di Pietro, a young Italian matron, who on Oct. 3, shot and killed Michael Rago because he persisted in forcing his attentions upon her, was today discharged by a coroner's jury on a verdict of justifiable homicide. Mrs. Di Pietro previously had been held without bail for the grand jury when she was arraigned before a magistrate and she was taken back to the Tombs.

COURT MARTIAL

CAPTAIN DIEHL WANTS WHOLE SUBJECT INVESTIGATED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13—Such is the lack of uniformity in the sentences imposed by summary court martial in the navy and so imperatively necessary does he regard a remedy for this condition that Captain S. W. B. Diehl, judge advocate general of the navy in his annual report approved by Secretary Morton, today, announces his intention to ask at an early date for an investigation of the whole subject by a board of officers appointed by the department. Captain Diehl recommends authorization by congress of a summary court of one officer instead of four as is now required for the trial of minor offenses, thus relieving three-fourths of the officers now engaged in summary court work.

Legislation is requested providing for the organization of examining and retiring boards, merging the professional and medical boards, into one board and remodeling the present cumbersome two-board system; the convening of general courts martial in the island possessions of the U. S. by officers in command of such stations, the present law making it incompetent for the department to delegate such authority to officers. Additions to the prison at the navy yard, Mare Island and to that at the navy yard, Washington, costing respectively $9,000 and $15,000, are recommended.

PRINCE FUSHINI

WILL SEEK INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13 Prince Fushini, first cousin of the Emperor of Japan, is expected to arrive here on the Pacific mail steamer Manchuria, which reaches this port about November 7. He will be entertained by the Japanese colony and after a short stay, will proceed to Washington, where he hopes to obtain an interview with President Roosevelt. His mission is secret.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Cotton futures opened steady, Oct. [illegible]; Nov. 10.05 bid; Dec. 10.12; Jan. 10.16; Feb. 10.21 bid; March 10.24; April 10.28 bid; May 10.31; June 10.32 bid; July 10.31.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

SACO, Maine, Oct. 13.—The first annual meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society for New England convened at the Cutts Avenue Free Baptist church, Saco, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The only business of the day was the meeting of the board of managers, who discussed the question "of the society to the memorial conference." This is an important matter with the society which will be settled at the meetings today.

The meetings opened today at 9.30 with devotional services, accompanied by business which occupied the balance of the afternoon.

INSPECTING DEFENSES.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 13.—Major General Sir Charles Parsons, commanding the British regular forces in Canada, is here making his annual inspection of the imperial defenses and garrison at Victoria and Esquimault. Major General Parsons' headquarters are at Halifax, N. S.

IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The John Bowman Hardware and Coal company have gone into the hands of a receiver.

It is reported the liabilities are in the neighborhood of $100,000, with assets of about $75,000. It is probable that Bowman will offer a compromise. The firms most largely interested in the matter are located in Worcester, Springfield, Binghamton, New Haven, New York, Rochester, Buffalo, Columbus, Elmira, Austin, Pa., and Syracuse.

POSTMASTER NAMED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Charles J. Stockwell today was appointed fourth class postmaster at Hancock, Vermont.

SITUATION WANTED—By middle aged lady to do light housework in small family. Inquire 167 East Merrimack st.

WANTED—Foreman for spool and reel factory, good position for right man, must be competent to take full charge. Address Jesse Robbins, Sun Office.

AT AUCTION, Saturday 8 p. m. sharp One hundred barrels of No. 1 Baldwin apples; 25 cords of cliff and trash wood; 25 barrels cabbage; 25 bushels turnips; 25 bushels beets; 15 bushels carrots; 25 bushels parsnips, at Middlesex Market, rear Howard st., Saturday.

TO LET—Box stall, rear of 58 Tyler st. Apply to Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings until Tuesday, the 18th day of October, at 4 o'clock p. m., for plumbing at the Colburn school.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at City Hall.

A bond will be required of the contractor to the extent of twenty-five per cent. of the contract price, to ensure the completion of the work to the full satisfaction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings.

A certified check of five per cent. of the bid must accompany all bids, said check to be payable to the City Treasurer of the City of Lowell, and to be forfeited to the city in the successful bidder refuses to sign his contract after three days' notice that said contract is ready for signature.

His Honor, the Mayor, and Superintendent of Public Buildings reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

Per order

JOHN J. O'CONNOR, Supt.

SOLD HIS BABY

One Cent the Price Father Asked

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—A bill of sale of one baby in exchange for a penny was marked as an exhibit in a disorderly conduct case tried by Police Justice Frank J. Higgins, in the First Criminal Court, Jersey City, yesterday.

Mrs. John McDermott, the complainant, who lives at 332 Tenth street, told the magistrate that Mrs. Thomas Bell, her sister-in-law of 312 Tenth street, called her vile names in the street and charged that she had stolen Bell and several of Bell's large family of children.

"She did steal my husband," said Mrs. Bell, when she went on the stand. "He is staying at her house now. She won't let him come home to live with me."

Judge Higgins asked Mrs. Bell how many children she had. She pondered a moment to count up, and then replied: "Fourteen, your honor——."

"Fifteen, your honor," corrected Bell.

"I'm not counting the one that's dead," said Mrs. Bell.

Mrs. McDermott denied that she had induced Bell to leave home, but admitted that she had Mrs. Bell's baby for a while, and insisted that she had a legal right for it, having bought it from the father for one cent.

Her counsel, James Donelan, produced this bill of sale:

I, Thomas Bell, do resign all claims to my daughter, Rose Gwendolyn Bell, on condition that said baby be taken care of and in consideration of which I resign all claim to said Rose Gwendolyn Bell in favor of John and Rose McDermott, for the sum of one cent, and if said baby should die inside of two months, I, Thomas Bell, will be responsible for her burial, and I sign all claims to said baby from the 7th day of September, 1904.

THOMAS BELL.
X

John McDermott.
Rose McDermott.

It was said that the X was Mrs. Bell's mark, but that she denied.

Inasmuch as Mrs. Bell got her baby back several days ago, Judge Higgins dismissed the complaint and told her to go home. He advised Bell to return to his wife and fourteen children. He did not pass upon the legality of the bill of sale.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

JOHN REDMOND

Given Great Reception in Queenstown

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 13.—John Redmond and his party, including J. J. O'Callahan of Boston, secretary of the United Irish League of America, were given a great reception upon landing from the steamer Baltic this morning. In replying to addresses, from the national bodies, Mr. Redmond emphasized the immense success of his mission to America. He is proceeding to Dublin, where a torchlight procession will be held tonight.

ROCHAMBEAU COUNCIL

VISITED BY DISTRICT DEPUTY JOSEPH H. GORMLEY.

Rochambeau council, Royal Arcanum, held an interesting meeting last night and was visited by district deputy Joseph H. Gormley, who was attended by the following: Grand Chaplain James T. Shaftoe, who came from Springfield to visit the council; Grand Warden Robert Sweet, Jr., of Melrose; Grand Sentry George H. Wiley of Malden; Past Regent John Hughes of North Billerica, organizer of North Billerica council; Orator William H. Stafford of Industry council; Regent James J. Campbell of North Billerica council; Past Regent Alexander H. Stanley, president of the Royal Arcanum Hospital association; District Deputy Grand Regent Walter E. Smith of Highland council; Vice-Regent Lyman H. Hodgman of Lowell council; Grand Guide John J. Hogan of Lowell; Orator Clarence E. Edwards of the same council; Past Grand Regent A. W. David, and others.

Two candidates were initiated and Alberic E. Branchard was installed as chaplain. The visiting officials delivered interesting addresses to which Past Regent Thomas J. Goyette made an appropriate response for Rochambeau council.

Rochambeau council now has 89 members and expects to pass the 100 mark before the close of the year.

Those who composed the degree staff last evening were as follows: David A. Parthenais, Ed. Richards, Harry J. Ferand, Alberic Branchard, Albert Paquin, Albert Bergeron, Bro. Pratte, Alfred Ducharme, Andrew Parlardy, Chas. Paquin, Joseph Desrosiers, Alberic Tellier, Joseph B. Lebrun.

Those in the quartet were: Majorique Cossette, Wilfred Caisse, Homer Turcotte, Leon Crepeau.

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2 lbs. cans Bartlett Pears.....10c

"Defiance" Brand Condensed Milk, can 8c

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LATEST

HON. WM. L. DOUGLAS

Formally Notified of Nomination For Governor

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 13.—Democrats from various parts of the state gathered in this city today to attend the ceremonies in connection with the notification of Wm. L. Douglas that he has been nominated by the democrats for governor of the commonwealth. This manner of notification is a distinct departure from the custom in this state where, heretofore, the successful candidate has been notified immediately after the declaration of the ballot and has usually appeared forthwith with a speech of acceptance.

The notification committee was composed of the following: Congressman John R. Thayer, Worcester; Mayor Patrick A. Collins, Boston; Nathan Mathews, Jr., Boston; George Fred Williams, Dedham; Congressman Wm. S. McNary, Boston; Congressman John A. Sullivan, Boston; Congressman John A. Keliher, Boston; James B. Carroll, Springfield; John J. Flaherty, Gloucester, and Charles S. Hamlin, Boston.

CONGRESSMAN THAYER'S SPEECH.

Congressman Thayer presided at the notification meeting and without any preliminaries he started upon his formal notification address.

"We come today to perform a pleasant service, imposed upon us by the unanimous vote of the democratic state convention held last Friday in Boston. That great harmonious and united representative body of the democracy of Massachusetts directed us to notify you of the unanimous action of the convention in placing you in nomination for the high offices of governor and lieutenant governor of the commonwealth, and to ask you to respect the will of the democracy thus expressed, by accepting the nominations. We are pleased to assure you that the democratic party in Massachusetts is fully united, energetic and enthusiastic in your support. There has come no quarter a discordant sound or a single criticism of the action of our convention. You are the unanimous choice of all the different factions of our party. Your very names are guarantees of united and earnest effort of our people for success. By your nominations new life and hopes and energy have been instilled into the heart of the democracy of this state. In your support are combined more elements of strength of unity and success than are usually found behind our nominees. Honest capital, honestly employed, has implicit confidence in you. Organized and unorganized labor have reason to feel that in you they have tried and true friends. The agriculturists and farmers of the state appreciate that in your election they will have at the seat of the government, broad and generous thinkers, who will not sit up nights racking their brains to find some excuse to justify the raising of barriers of their demands, needs and interests, steadily increasing. They want to know interests.

"The old soldiers of the last two wars are at this very hour looking for your election, believing that in your keeping their interests, like those of all other good citizens of the commonwealth, will be carefully considered and safeguarded, and especially will the taxpayers, great and small, of all parties, hail your election with delight and rejoicing, knowing from your history as practical men of business affairs, that strict economy will be introduced into every department of the state government where the authority of the governor and lieutenant governor can control. The people of Massachusetts are generous to a fault. They are entitled to and will have, the best, and are willing to defray all reasonable expense in providing for the general welfare of the state. They only demand that an honest sensible economy be exercised in spending the people's money in the administration of public affairs. They feel that it is high time to call a halt in the careless prodigacy now exercised in meeting the public expenditures. They want more broad and comprehensive thinking exercised, and less light and entertaining talking from the seat of government. They see no good and valid reason why the state debt should continue to increase year by year, despite the fact that the valuation of the same property is constantly being raised and the tax rates steadily increasing. They want to know why it is that in the last ten or a dozen years in spite of increased valuation and increased taxation, the state debt has doubled, or why in fact, it should not have been reduced. It appears from the state treasury report that during this time the state debt has increased from about thirteen millions to twenty-four millions without considering the extra indebtedness for water loans.

"I know his excellency Governor Bates startled by the announcement of the presiding officer of our state convention, that the state indebtedness had doubled during the last ten years, seeks to explain the situation and claims that there is an error in Mr. Matthews' statement. The governor claims that there are two kinds of state debts, one direct and one contingent, but concedes that the two combined give the figures Mr. Matthews used.

RECIPROCITY QUESTION.

"Hon. John Daizell, better known as one of the 'big four' of the lower house of congress, stated in a carefully prepared speech, which speech was submitted to the other leaders of the house for their approval before it was delivered, the real position of the republican party on this question. He said, and I use his own words: 'The republican party is in favor of reciprocity with Canada, but only in non-competing products,' and when asked by members on the floor of the house to state some articles to which such a treaty could apply, gave four articles, three of them being some kind of drugs. From this, it is apparent that the reciprocity to which he referred would be of no practical effect.

"Hon. James T. McCleary of Minnesota, another prominent leader on the floor of the house, in his speech occupying 57 pages of Congressional Record, which Mr. McCleary prepared for general campaign purposes, referred to the position of the republican party in its attitude towards reciprocity with Canada, and among other things said:

"'What is the republican position on this matter of reciprocity? It is clearly set forth in the republican national platform of 1900 as follows: "We favor the association policy of reciprocity so directed as to open our markets on favorable terms for what we do not ourselves produce in return for free foreign markets";' and Mr. McCleary adds: 'This is the only kind of reciprocity ever advocated by the republican party or by any recognized leader of it. No republican national convention ever declared for reciprocity in competing products, nor did any recognized leader of the party ever seriously advocate such a thing.'

"Here is a clear, concise statement of the party's position. Let us see how it compares with the resolution adopted by the republicans in their last convention in this state. This is the product of the contending factions, as promulgated by the convention:

"'We believe that still further measures should be taken toward negotiating reciprocity treaties with foreign countries, and especially with Canada and Newfoundland, upon such terms and conditions as will secure an enlargement of our foreign trade for the common benefit of our people, whenever reciprocal arrangements can be effected consistently with the principles of protection, and without injury to American agriculture, American labor, or American industries.'

"No wonder Gen. Draper and his followers did not oppose this resolution. Any one could subscribe to it, be he an absolute free trader or the wildest and most extreme protectionist. Is there anybody in this country interested in the welfare of our people who is not in favor of an enlargement of our foreign trade for the common benefit of our people, whenever successful arrangements can be effected without injury to American agriculture, American labor or American industries?

"And is there any one who is opposed to a treaty arrangement when it is certain that more benefit than injury will come to the American people? If there is such a one, I never have heard of him. But who is to determine whether certain concessions being made, the result will be for the common benefit of our people? Who is to determine whether upon other concessions being made, the maximum of benefit will outweigh the minimum of injury to the common people? Why, of course, those entrusted with and engaged in the enterprise of making the concessions—the leaders of the republican party in congress, those wedded to high protection, those whom Mr. McCleary says 'never believed and never declared for any kind of reciprocity except in non-competing products.'

"Is it not apparent that even if the resolution as adopted by the republican convention should be the keynote of the republican party in congress, as it never will be,—still nothing in the way of real and effective reciprocity will ever be agreed to between us and Canada? This plank is constructed just strong enough to carry the party safely over in this state campaign and just weak enough and meaningless enough to fall to pieces when it is presented to congress.

DOUGLAS ACCEPTS.

Mr. Douglas was greeted with cheers as he arose to accept the nomination.

Prefacing a lengthy discussion of the tariff and reciprocity, Mr. Douglas said that he endorsed the attitude of the democratic party on the Philippine question, claiming that "criminal aggression" which has marked the conduct of the government in the islands, is out of harmony with the United States form of government and its past history. The Filipinos, he said, should be treated with the same consideration shown to the Cubans.

Mr. Douglas designated the tariff as the most important issue in this country this year. "In my opinion," he said, "the Dingley tariff wall that surrounds this country is entirely too high not only for the welfare of consumers and of the people as a whole, but for the manufacturers as a class.

"It protects the larger manufacturers, combined into trusts, at the expense of the smaller and independent manufacturers. It does not protect the farmer, for the prices of our staple farm products are usually fixed by the prices in foreign markets. It does not protect the working man, for there is no tariff duty on labor. The only protection that American labor has against that of foreign lands is that afforded by the cost of passage from Europe to America, which is now very small."

Speaking of "Massachusett's heavy tariff burden," he said: "It is because Massachusetts is partially cut off from the rest of this country and is, by protected trusts, deprived of the cheap raw materials to which she is fairly entitled that her more intelligent and enterprising citizens are now agitating for reciprocity with Canada and other countries. She is unwilling to further sacrifice her industries upon the altar of protection and is asking her representatives in congress not to forget her interests".

He claimed that the boot and shoe industry was crippled by tariff taxes and maintained that the cost of living should be reduced. Mr. Douglas closed with these words:

"The only hope of the republicans of this commonwealth who earnestly believe in the kind of reciprocity advocated by President McKinley in his last and greatest speech lies in the democratic party".

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SENATOR BAILEY

HAS JOINED DAVIS' CORPS OF CAMPAIGNERS.

UNDERWOOD, W. Va., Oct. 13—From Fairmount to Wheeling is the speech making trip today of Henry G. Davis, democratic vice presidential candidate and his corps of campaigners. Senator Bailey of Texas joined the party today and is to be one of the speakers for two days until the arrival at Parkersburg. He will join the party again later after fulfilling several other speaking engagements.

Despite the ardous work yesterday, Mr. Davis and Messrs. Whyte, Daniel and Hill show no ill effects of travel and talk.

There is but 77 miles to cover today with half hour meetings at Farmington, Mannington, Glovers Gap, Burton, Hundred, Littleton, Cameron and Moundsville. Wheeling, the scene of a night rally, will be reached at 3.20 this p. m.

The special will remain there for the night.

JUDGE PARKER

MADE HIS FIRST VISIT TO CAMPAIGN HEADQUARTERS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—Judge Parker made his first visit today to the headquarters of the democratic national committee. He surprised his political managers who had received no intimation of his intention to visit them. Judge Parker had left his apartments at the Hotel Seville to take a walk and finding himself near the headquarters he decided to make an inspection of the rooms. He found all the managers at their desks except Wm. F. Sheehan, chairman of the executive committee. Judge Parker passed through all the rooms and spent some time conversing with Col. John I. Martin, sergeant at arms; Delancey Nicoll, vice chairman of the national committee and national Chairman Taggart. He spent nearly half an hour with Mr. Taggart.

Mr. Sheehan came in just as Judge Parker was leaving headquarters. The campaign managers held a conference immediately after Judge Parker's departure. When Judge Parker returned to the hotel, he found several persons waiting for him. The conferences of the day will be hurried in order to permit him to start for Esopus at 4 p. m.

SENATOR FAIRBANKS

ON LAST DAY OF HIS WESTERN TOUR.

MOLINE, Ill., Oct. 13—Senator Fairbanks began the last day of his extended western campaign tour with a speech here today. The senator was saluted by the blowing of whistles and an immense crowd greeted him with a cheer.

Senator Fairbanks was met here by Charles S. Deneen, republican candidate for governor of Illinois, national committeeman Frank O. Lowden, and a large number of other prominent Illinois republicans. They occupied a special car which was attached to the senator's train. The senator's program for the day included speeches at a number of towns in the state with a night address at Chicago.

TAMMANY LEADER

SAYS CANDIDATES MUST NOT ACCEPT OTHER INDORSEMENTS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—Chas. F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, said today that he has sent notices to the fifty or more candidates on the county democratic ticket requesting them to decline endorsement by any party other than their own.

"Democrats must be democrats and nothing else," said Mr. Murphy. "I am willing to have the peoples party or any other, endorse Judge Parker's candidacy but for the minor offices, such as assemblymen, congressmen, senators, etc. it would not do. It would in a way lift them above the presidency and it is in the interest of Judge Parker and his campaign that this stand is taken and the order issued."

WIFE DESERTED

SAYS HER HUSBAND TOOK HER $10,000.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 13.—Miss Frances Levering Pfouts, a wealthy girl of this city, being the heiress of one of the oldest families in this region, was married secretly here two weeks ago and now has been deserted, at Knoxville, Tenn., by her husband after he had obtained $10,000 from her, according to a telegram received here yesterday. It was the first knowledge that many of her friends had of the marriage.

She was married here on Sept. 28 by the Rev. Dr. F. B. Hodge of the First Presbyterian church. The bridegroom was Joseph Brooks Rogers, whom Miss Pfouts met at Colorado Springs during the summer. They went to Knoxville, where he lives and is said to be a member of a well known family. He had induced her to convert some securities into cash and obtained $10,000 to invest in Knoxville. Last Saturday, so the despatch says, after drinking heavily, he converted all his property into cash and went West.

The deserted wife, yesterday, through her brother, George Pfouts, who is now with her, began suit against him to recover the money and includes in the suit five banks where it is believed he has money deposited.

FUNERALS

CORLISS—The funeral of Charles O. Corliss took place yesterday afternoon from his home in North Billerica and was largely attended. Rev. E. S. Wier was the officiating clergyman and the bearers were Frederick, Oscar P. and Coburn S. Smith and Henry Call. Burial was in the Corner cemetery. Undertakers Young & Co. had charge.

BOWLES—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Bowles took place from her residence, 12 Pihl street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. N. W. Matthews officiating. The bearers were J. W. Pinardy, T. W. Dunckleo, C. Laurin and E. Berg. Burial was in Tilsen cemetery under charge of J. B. Currier.

TO COUNTY CONVENTION.

Division 2, A. O. H. elected the following delegates to the county convention to be held in Cambridge Tuesday, Oct. 18th: Thos. J. Lynch, Denis O'Brien, John A. Lowney, Michael Spillane, Rev. J. P. Flynn, O. M. I.

DIVORCE ISSUE

Again Engaged the House of Deputies

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—The divorce question came up again today at the forenoon session of the house of deputies of the Episcopal general convention. The house of bishops continued its sessions, and the conferences of the Woman's Auxiliary of the board of missions were resumed at Pierce hall. Bishops Anson R. Graves of Laramie, N. Y., Lemuel H. Wells of Spokane and Wm. C. Grant of Southern Florida, delivered addresses to the auxiliary. The society of St. Philip the apostle met at St. Stephen's church this forenoon. A corporate communion was celebrated by Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead of Pittsburg, honorary president of the society.

An address was given by Rt. Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, bishop of Connecticut.

As soon as the house of deputies resumed the consideration of business, Francis L. Stetson of New York presented a resolution limiting debate on the marriage and divorce canon to five hours. Mr. Stetson proposed to allow the supporters of the majority report to have three hours and those of the minority two hours for debate. The resolution was discussed by Rev. Drs. E. S. Rousmaniere of Providence, J. Lewis Parks of New York, J. McPittinger of Raleigh, N. C., and by George Foster Peabody of Brooklyn and others.

Mr. Stetson's resolution prevailed after it had been amended so that the first amendment to the canons to be voted on was that which forbids the remarriage of any divorced person.

Much time was consumed by the delegates from the missionary districts who complained that they were not furnished with sufficient seats. Many of the other delegates complained that the time was being wasted, and a wrangle was only avoided by a vote to lay on the table a resolution of protest offered by the missionary delegates.

When tranquility was restored, Rev. Dr. Parks, in behalf of the minority report on divorce, asked for permission to withdraw the report. The request was granted. The minority report favored the existing canon but contained an amendment compelling clergymen to obtain a civil court record when a divorced person desires to be remarried. The withdrawal does not mean that the fight against the proposed divorce reform will be abandoned by its opponents. The members of the minority considered that the situation would be less complicated with their recommendation out of the way.

The house went into committee of the whole and the debate on the question of remarriage was resumed by Francis A. Lewis of Philadelphia. Mr. Lewis supported the report of the majority members of the committee against the remarriage of a divorced person while the former partner lives. He said the church should go out of the remarriage business.

The disputed passage in St. Matthew's Gabriel, permitting a man to divorce his wife for one cause, was considered by Rev. H. H. Obdey of Elizabeth, N. J. He said there was permission in the passage for a woman to remarry.

He attacked the existing canon and declared that if it was to remain, the marriage service should be changed to agree with it.

The proposed reform was opposed by A. H. Brown of San Francisco.

John G. Hicks of Searcy, Ark., classed the proposed change as radical legislation. He thought the new canon came from the church of Rome, but it did not provide for the many means of papal dispensation. "If we are not ready for the Romish dispensation," he said, "we should not adopt Romish practices and principles. My opinion is that we are going further along Roman lines than was ever dreamed of."

Mr. Hicks added that he had no desire to discourage anything that was good in the Roman Catholic church.

Wilhelmus Mynderse of Brooklyn did not believe in rules or rigid oppression.

Geo. W. Harton Pepper of Philadelphia continued the debate.

Mr. Pepper, who is an attorney, took a stand against the new constitution. He did not believe in making changes in order to attain the leadership among churches. The only true leadership was the unconscious kind.

Archdeacon E. A. De Rosset of Springfield, Ill., thought that the clergy needed protection, when divorced persons became applicants for re-marriage.

The church must do something for the preservation of the family and the majority report was a step in the right direction. If the amendments were defeated, it would be scattered broadcast that the Episcopal church did not care to undertake the work of reform.

Archdeacon De Rosset by referring to Rev. Dr. Parks as the "reverend father of Calvary church, New York," brought that deputy to his feet to deny that he had yet reached that rank.

In the opinion of Rev. Dr. S. S. Moore of Parkersburg, W. Va., the proposed amendments were impracticable.

Rathbone Gardner of Providence told the convention of the efforts of a committee of churchmen in Rhode Island, headed by Bishop McVicar to induce the legislature to reform its divorce laws. He favored the passage of the new canon.

The next speaker, Rev. Dr. Alfred Harding of Washington said the church could not prevent people getting divorces, but it could teach what was right. The church did not teach what was proper regarding marriage law and the amendments should be adopted in order to harmonize the canons and the prayer book. The church should declare against the marriage of any divorced persons.

The discussion was then deferred until tomorrow.

ARCHBISHOP DEPARTS.

The archbishop of Canterbury, who has been attending the Episcopal general convention in this city, left the Back Bay station on a special train over the shore line of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad at 9.55 a.m. today. The train is due in New York at 2.50 p.m.

In the party were the archbishop and Mrs. Davidson; his chaplains, Rev. Hyla Holden and Rev. J. P. Ellison and J. Pierpont Morgan.

The archbishop and his party will sail on the Cedric tomorrow for England.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am Sugar	134⅛
Am Sugar pfd	133
A & T	84
A & T pfd	100¼
B & O	91¾
B & O pfd	93
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	64½
Can & Gt W	17⅛
C M & P	167
C R & P	28¾
C R & P pfd	72½
Con Gas	212¼
Del & Hud	173⅞
Erie R R	32⅞
Erie 1st	67¾
Manhat Con	156⅞
Mo Kan & Tex	25⅛
Mo Kan & Tex pfd	57¼
Met St Ry	122
Mis Pac	100⅛
N Y Cen	131¾
N Y Ont & W	35⅝
Penn	133½
People's Gas	105
So Pac	58⅞
Reading	77¾
Reading pfd	86¾
Reading 1st pfd	86½
Reading 2d pfd	80
Tex & Pac	33¼
Union Pac	104¾
Union Pac pfd	93¾
U S Steel	19
U S Steel pfd	77⅞
Wabash	20¾
Wabash pfd	41⅞
W U Telegraph	92
U S Leather	11¼
U S Leather pfd	89⅛

BOSTON STOCKS.

Adventure	4
Amalgamated	62¾
American Wool	15¼
American Wool pfd	82¼
Am Tel & Tel	139
Arcadian	1
Atlantic	14
Anaconda	22½
Allouez	13½
B & Albany	249
B & Maine	165
Boston Elevated	99¼
Calumet & Hecla	550
Centennial	27¾
Copper Range	150½
Con Mass Junction pfd	123
Dominion Coal	61
Dominion Coal pfd	12½
Elec Boston	59
Elec Boston pfd	109½
Elec Power	14¼
Fitchburg	153¼
Franklin	2¾
Frankl pfd	139
Gen Electric	83¾
Gen Electric pfd	83½
Granby	14
Greenwater	55½
Isle Royale	60
Kearsarge	14
Kearsarge pfd	8
Mass Gas	55¾
Mass Gas pfd	48½
Mass Electric	131
Mass Electric pfd	90
Mass N H & H R R	192½
Mass Mine	1
Mass Gov R R	202½
Michigan	21¼
Mich Copper	6
Mich Land	21¾
Mont Copper	1¼
Old Colony R R	129
Old Dominion	25
Old Colony	94
Old Dominion	2
Osceola	8
Pullman Palace Car	238½
Quincy	41½
Rhode Island	9
Rhode Island pfd	96
Shannon	18
Shawmut	97
Tamarack	15¼
Tri-Mountain	90
Trinity	91½
Trinity pfd	103½
Tri-Mountain	1⅛

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

ARMIES LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—1.53 p. m. The Russian and Japanese armies wrestling below Mukden seem now to be definitely locked in a death struggle for the mastery. Field Marshal Oyama is countering General Kuropatkin's thrust at the Japanese right by an advance against the Russian right. The situation on a much larger scale resembles that of Vafangow, where General Stakelberg in essaying to turn the Japanese right had his own right turned. The Japanese assumed the offensive yesterday against the Russian right, forcing the latter to give ground. But, about the centre, stretching from Yentai station eastward, where General Nodzu attempted a desperate counter attack and where the fighting was hottest, the Russians held their own. The result at night fall was a draw.

This is the latest word received by the war office from Kuropatkin; but according to the dispatch of the Associated Press from Mukden, the Japanese resumed the offensive again this morning. No word has come regarding the operations of the Russian turning movement on Oyama's right, on which the success of Kuropatkin's plan of battle seems to depend, the war office explaining that reports from this point had not reached Kuropatkin when he sent his dispatch and, consequently, information is lacking of the operations at the very point where all eyes centre and where the heavy blows was evidently aimed.

The strength of the force with which Kuropatkin has undertaken this turning movement has not yet developed.

The mixed column which crossed the Taitse river Sunday is now believed to be general Rennenkampff's force probably joined to other mixed columns under either Gen. Mislchenko or Gen. Kaslsilinsky. The infantry or artillery engaged in desperate fighting in the neighborhood of the Benshu forts, the Japanese having fortified a short line from Benshu to Liudiudia, to protect their right flank. These columns evidently marched down from Fushun, separated at Hentsiputze, a portion taking the direct Benshu road, the others the road to Hitsy and Koutlatze, which crosses the river at Slantziatzi, 15 miles above.

The war office is reticent regarding the movements of the flying column on the extreme Russian right which was striking at the line of Japanese communication with the Yalu river, but it is reported to have been checked at Hsiencheng (otherwise Siancha.)

The Japanese narrow gauge railroad from Fengwangcheng to Saimatsze connects with the roads and depots at Dziantchan and Shodyr. Altogether the news this morning is not completely reassuring, the Nove Vremya, voices the prevailing sentiment, saying:

"Kuropatkin is a cautious leader and it is taken for granted that he weighed well the risks before undertaking the wide turning movement. We probably shall have to wait long and weary hours before knowing the results of the all important battle now begun."

JAPANESE GENERAL CLAIMS ADVANTAGE

TOKIO, Oct. 13.—9.45 a. m.—Field Marshal Oyama, reporting from the field Wednesday afternoon, expresses satisfaction at the progress of the operations between the Taitse and Hun rivers. The center and right armies made substantial gains, while the left army was desperately struggling to envelop the Russian right. Field Marshal Oyama dispatched two telegrams, the first of which said:

"The state of affairs in the direction of Mukden is as follows:

"On the morning of October 12, the central column of the right army at five o'clock occupied Lokoulin mountain and the northern heights at Pachiatzu. The left column of the right army occupied the northern heights of Shautakou and continues to pursue the enemy's central column. The right army succeeded in occupying Maerh mountain. The central army, beginning operations from midnight, October 11, reached the heights extending from Sanchiatzu to Sankaushih mountain, on the northwest and is probably pursuing the enemy."

"The left army continues to attack the enemy along the Schili river and at Lungwangmiao and Wulichieh since last night, but has not yet attained its object. At present, aided with reinforcements, the left wing is trying to envelop the enemy's right flank by means of a rear engagement in the direction of Penchuhu and the fighting continues. Judging from the above state of affairs the operations in those directions are proceeding favorably toward the attainment of our first object."

The second message is as follows:

"In an engagement at midnight on October 11, we captured two field guns and 8 ammunition wagons. Major-General Murl was wounded and one colonel was killed."

RESULT OF BATTLE NOT YET KNOWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—A dispatch from a correspondent of the Associated Press, dated Mukden, Oct. 12 morning, says:

"The fight opened today before sunrise, when the sound of guns was heard from the southward. I am now leaving for the front. The Russian troops on Tuesday occupied Yentai station, but the Japanese continued to hold the Yentai mines, though a furious fight has been in progress there all day long.

The Russians also captured Bensihu after severe fighting and thus found themselves in an important position on the Japanese flank.

"There are many contradictory reports of the general results of Tuesday's engagement afloat in Mukden, and it is hard to arrive at an actual conclusion. It is not even known, on the whole, whether the Japanese or the Russians are gaining the most ground.'

RUSSIANS REPORTED TO BE RETIRING

TOKIO, Oct. 13, 1 p. m.—It is reported that the Russians are retiring along the entire front and that the Russian force at Pulisian is probably enveloped. Eight more guns have been captured by the Japanese.

RUSSIAN FORCE ALMOST ANNILIATED

FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE SECOND JAPANESE ARMY, Oct. 11, 5 p. m., via Fusan, Koren, Oct. 13.—During the night the Japanese occupied the hills, held by the Russians on the right and center of the line, the Russians falling back a distance of three miles. The Japanese infantry advanced to within 1500 yards of the Russians' lines at noon, and defeated the Russians in a fierce counter attack, almost annihilating the attacking force, who made three charges. The Russian artillery was not silenced despite a fierce shelling all day.

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BRYAN IN INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 13—Wm. J. Bryan's special train bearing a number of the Indiana democratic leaders left here today for the second day's speech making in Indiana.

In speeches at Noblesville and Tipton, Mr. Bryan followed the lines of his Rockville and Indianapolis speeches yesterday.

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Sea Trout	15c lb.
Scup	10c lb.
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LABOR UNIONS

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WILLING TO ACCEPT A FAIR PROPOSITION

Determined to Resist to the Last

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—By the action of the textile council Tuesday, the strike situation has now settled down to the same position it occupied before the conference with the manufacturers. Although willing to consider a fair proposition from the mill agents the labor leaders do not evince any expression of opinion that would lead one to believe that any proposition for a compromise will come from them, and it is doubtful if they will make any move to bring about a settlement. The determination of the operatives to resist to the last is apparently as strong as ever, and developments are especially prone to show that the strength of the strike movement is badly underestimated by the manufacturers.

The decision of the textile council means that there will be nothing submitted to the various unions beyond the bare report of the delegates. The spinners hold a regular meeting tonight and the weavers tomorrow night, but no action of any kind is looked for unless it be a renewed expression to continue the struggle until the notices of reduction are taken down. Even if the recommendation should be made to the unions that the strike be declared off—and there is no possibility of such action under present conditions—it is very doubtful if enough operatives would return to the mills to enable them to run.

Labor leaders say they will be governed by the desires of the operatives and, this being so, the manufacturers have a long way to look ahead before absolute deprivation will lead the operatives to return to their work.

The weavers maintain that it is impossible for them to run the number of looms that manufacturers desire to press upon them even were they willing to do so and the manufacturers must certainly reckon with the weavers before they can hope to settle the strike.

Labor leaders believe that the change of mind on the part of the Stevens and Bourne mills about trying to start up is due to one of two things, either caused by the fact that enough operatives could not be secured to warrant a successful opening or because the pressure of other manufacturers was too strong. It is claimed that officials of both mills scoured every part of the city in an attempt to induce operatives to take a chance with the machinery in the two plants.

Some of the additional collectors to be sent out by the United Textile Workers will leave tonight, and before another week all will be on their way to their respective collecting jurisdictions. If the new men do as well as those who have gone before, the support received will soon be sufficient to carry the strikers through the winter months.

Two of the unions held executive committee meetings Tuesday night. At the Spinners', the secretary rendered his report of the session of the Textile council. The sum of $4 was paid for one stoppage claim to a spinner from the King Philip mills and three other members from those mills, who had received their full stoppage allowance on account of their mules being thrown out, were placed on half benefits. It was decided to recommend to the general meeting that spinners employed in the yarn mills, whose mills are stopped, be made a grant of $2 per week for each week lost over two weeks. The members of the committee thought that inasmuch as the mules of these men were stopped and there is no stoppage rules to cover the case they should be paid, as it was not right that men should be out of work five or six weeks and get nothing while others are being placed on half pay. The executive committee will meet next Monday night instead of Tuesday night, because of the opening of the United Textile Workers' convention in Lowell on Tuesday next.

The Carders' executive committee met and transacted routine business. This afternoon the regular weekly meeting will be held, when the secretary will report on the strike situation.

Tonight at the general meeting of the weavers, the report of the Textile council delegates will be submitted, also the reports of the Central Labor Union delegates and of the auditors. Delegates to attend the United Textile Workers' convention in Lowell will be elected, and two members will be chosen to serve on the executive committee. The question of amending the by-laws to make collectors ineligible to serve on the executive committee will also be brought up before the meeting.

Treasurer O'Donnell has received $50 from Al Haynes, $25 each from the Lowell and Lawrence Casino theatres, of which Mr. Haynes is proprietor. The weekly subscription of $25 from Quinlan Leary & Co. and $5 from the Workingmen's club of New Bedford were also received.

The local collections since Tuesday were: Electric light employes, $[illegible]; Ward One, $18.50; Manchester, $11.15; New Bedford book, $20.10; Ward Two, $[illegible].

At the regular meeting of the New Bedford Weavers' union, held Thursday evening, besides routine reports, the report of the organizer showed a slight gain in membership during the last month. The resolutions passed by the executive board condemning Governor Bates' attitude on the women and minors' bill were endorsed, and the board was instructed to send out circulars advising all textile operatives not to vote for Governor Bates. The sum of $200 was voted to the Fall River strikers—making a total of $1261 which the union has thus far sent to the strikers.

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WRECK AVERTED

Green Mountain Flyer Had Narrow Escape

BENNINGTON, Vt., Oct. 13.—A fortunate combination of circumstances undoubtedly prevented a terrible accident on the Rutland railroad yesterday afternoon. The "Green Mountain Flyer," south-bound left the rails at Arlington, 14 miles from here, but a badly damaged locomotive and a train load of thoroughly shaken-up passengers was the only result of the accident.

The flyer ordinarily goes through Arlington at high speed, but yesterday the engineer of the train had slowed down for a freight train which was taking a side track, thereby giving him right of way.

This having been accomplished, the train was once more gathering headway rapidly, probably travelling between thirty and thirty-five miles an hour, when the rails suddenly spread and the train dropped down upon the ties and ballast. Just beyond was another set of tracks upon which was standing a "dead" freight train.

The engineer applied his emergency brakes and brought his train to a standstill within a comparatively short distance. The wheels of the passenger cars, relieved of their accustomed support, slipped off upon the ballasted track, with the result that the cars were made to retain their equilibrium and began to topple over. Fortunately the train had stopped before the line of freight cars had been passed and the coaches rested against the cars, the line of freight cars being the only obstruction between the derailed train and a steep embankment. The flyer consisted seven coaches and carried 350 passengers.

LADIES' NIGHT

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ENTERTAIN THEIR FAIR FRIENDS.

Associate hall was crowded last evening at the complimentary entertainment and dance given by Lowell council, Knights of Columbus, to their lady friends.

The entertainment was given by the Manning Glee and Minstrel club of Boston, 16 as clever and versatile performers as have appeared in Lowell in a long time.

The program was as follows:

PART I.

Hark, the Trumpet.....Dudley Buck
Glee Club.
Part Songs—a What I Have.....Rohm
b Fairest Is She.....Nevin
Glee Club.
Tenor Solo—Those Pure Gray Eyes
Isadore Martinez
Mr. MacKenzie.
Tenor Solo—Winds in the Tree
Goring Thomas
Mr. Whittaker.
Annie Laurie ..... Gebel
Glee Club.
Bass Solo—The Bandit's Life....Harper
Mr. Leonard.
Tinker's chorus from Robin Hood
DeKoven
Glee Club.
Queen of the Earth
Mr. Randall.
Toy Land ..... Victor Herbert
Solo by Mr. Randall.

PART II.

Half hour with the old time minstrels.
Interlocutor, Ulmer Manning.
Bones, Elmer Millard.
Tambo, Fred H. Lawton.
Opening chorus.. .. ..Glee Club
Lindy Lou ..... Mr. Haddock
End Song—Miss Maria ....Mr. Millard
When the Sunset Turns the Ocean's Blue to Gold .....Mr. Crawford
End Song—Cupid's Retreat
Mr. Lawton
Camp Meeting Song .....Mr. Lawton
Imitation stick wire balancing (in pantomime)
Messrs. Lawton and Millard

PART III.

Milk Maid Chorus (in burlesque)
Glee Club

The Glee club members: Ulmer H. Manning, director; Tenors, Robert MacKenzie, William E. Whitaker, Victor Crawford, Elmer Millard, Bassos, Frank T. Haddock, Russell Randall, Franklin Leonard, Fred H. Lawton, Cazneau Litchfield, pianist. The numbers were all finely rendered and an encore was demanded in each case.

After the entertainment a dance order of 12 numbers was enjoyed to the tuneful music of the Cadet orchestra. During the evening it was announced that a meeting of the general carnival committee will be held at the council chambers on Tuesday evening, October 18th, at which a large attendance is desired. The officers of the dance were as follows:

Floor director, Thomas J. O'Donnell; assistant, James J. Brown; aids, T. F. McCarthy, D. T. Sullivan, Dr. D. A. O'Hearn, Dennis J. Murphy, T. F. Harrington, James E. Donnelly, W. C. Doherty, James T. O'Hearn, John J. Hanlon, C. L. O'Donahue, John J. Sullivan, John B. Mealey, W. F. Thornton, James J. Gallagher, Henry L. Rourke, W. F. Sullivan.

FORMER LOWELL MAN

GOT INTO TROUBLE WITH A CUSTOMER.

Chauncey T. Sparks, formerly of this city, has got into trouble in Haverhill through failure to produce a watch left at the store where he works to be repaired. The owner has had him arrested. The value of the watch is $75. Mr. Sparks, through counsel, asked a continuance of the case, it is expected that [illegible] will be settled before the case is reached in court. Mr. Sparks got a good recommendation and the case is not considered of much importance by the court.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Andrew Mungall, an overseer of the dyeing department of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, was united in marriage to Miss Lillian E. Austin, daughter of Mrs. Eliza Austin, at the latter's home, 818 Merrimack street, last evening, the wedding ceremony being performed at 6.30 o'clock.

The interior of the house was decorated in an artistic manner, autumn leaves and smilax being in evidence everywhere. The parlor, where the wedding service was held, was decorated with smilax, autumn leaves and potted plants and beneath a canopy of vines the happy couple stood as the service was read.

The service was held at 6.30 o'clock, Rev. A. St. John Chambre, pastor of St. Anne's church, officiating. Present at the service were a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties, there being present friends from Lawrence, Manchester, Boston and Milltown, N. H.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white broadcloth and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Attending the bride was Miss Lucy Hepburn, a friend of this city, who was dressed in white Swiss muslin and carried American beauty roses. The best man was Mr. William Campbell of Lawrence.

Wedding music was played by Master Harold and Miss Ernestine Louisbury of Boston, on violin and piano. There were many gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Mungall.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and refreshments were served.

The reception lasted until 9 o'clock when special cars were taken by many of those who attended, to the Middlesex street station, the newly wedded couple taking their departure on the 9.15 train. They will be away for several weeks, and upon their return will live in West Bowers street.

The majority of the people present at the wedding were from Manchester and Lawrence, the latter place being the former home of the groom. A special car carried the Lawrence people to this city and at 9 o'clock the car took a party from the house in Merrimack street to the depot and back to the house. Shortly after 11 o'clock the members of the Lawrence party returned to their home in the same car.

GOLDSBOROUGH—MURPHY.

Henry Goldsborough and Mary Murphy were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. John J. McHugh. The best man was Mr. Patrick Kelley, and the bridesmaid was Miss Margaret Murphy, a sister of the bride.

HENDRY—SHEPHERD.

Miss Lillian Shepherd and Mr. Charles Hendry were married yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the residence of Rev. Smith T. Ford in Nesmith street. They were attended by Miss Mabel Shepherd and Mr. Walter Shepherd, brother and sister of the bride. Following the nuptial ceremony the wedding party repaired to the bride's home, 21 Middlesex Park, where a reception was held, after which the newly married couple departed on a wedding journey.

ROLL—GILL.

Edward Roll and Miss Mary Gill were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday afternoon at 5.30 o'clock by Rev. John J. McHugh. Mr. James Farrell was best man and Miss Winifred Gill was bridesmaid. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Roll left on a short honeymoon trip.

BRIERLEY—IRELAND.

Mr. Eugene Linwood Brierley and Miss Maud Louise Ireland were married last night at 6.30 o'clock by Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, pastor of the First Baptist church, at his residence in Nesmith street. The bride was attended by her niece, Miss Lillian G. Fowler, and the best man was Mr. Arthur G. Clark, a cousin of the groom. The bride wore steel grey silk and carried a shower bouquet of pinks. The bridesmaid wore white muslin de soie and carried a bouquet of pinks. Following the ceremony the newly wedded couple repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 775 Broadway, where a reception was held. They were the recipients of numerous beautiful and costly presents. They left on the 9.15 train for a honeymoon trip. Friends were present from South Hanson, South Braintree, Wilmington. The bridesmaid's gift to the bridesmaid was a handsome gold bracelet, and the groom's gift to the best man was a diamond pin. The house was decorated with autumn leaves.

RIDDICK—FELCH.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Felch, 40 East Pine street, yesterday afternoon, their daughter, Gertrude A. Felch, was united in wedlock to Mr. Herbert Riddick in the presence of immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The room in which the nuptial rites were solemnized was beautifully decorated with autumn foliage, including mountain ash berries. As the bridal party entered the parlor Miss Eva Pratt performed on the piano strains from Lohengrin's wedding march. The happy couple stood beneath an improvised arch as the words were pronounced by Rev. George F. Kenworthy which made them man and wife. Mr. Joseph Heathcote was best man and Miss Bertha Bond acted as bridesmaid. The bride was becomingly attired in an exquisite gown of white satin, and the bridesmaid was robed in pale blue satin. Following the marriage ceremony a sumptuous wedding repast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Riddick were made the recipients of a rich array of costly presents, including silverware and other articles useful as well as ornamental. The happy couple went to points of interest in the Granite state on their honeymoon. They will on their return reside at 204 South street and be at home to their friends after November 1.

JONES—RICHARDSON.

Miss Mabel Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson of Pelham, and Mr. Albert Jones, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride. Rev. Joseph L. Hoyle, pastor of the Pelham Congregational church, was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Jones belongs in Pelham, where he is well and favorably known. Mr. Guy Richardson, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Clara Jones, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. The wedding took place at 5 o'clock, after which there was a reception to relatives and friends. There were many out-of-town people present. The wedding gifts were numerous and neat. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left for a brief honeymoon trip. They will reside in Pelham.

DICKSON—PHILBRICK.

Miss Edith E. Philbrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Philbrick of 26 Methuen street, and Mr. Charles E. Dickson of Newport, R. I., formerly of this city, were married last night at the home of the bride. The ceremony took place at 7.30 o'clock and was performed by Rev. J. A. McKnight of the First Congregational church of Dracut. Mr. Thomas A. Dickson, brother of the groom, was best man. The maid of honor was Miss Lillian Garland. The ushers were Mr. Sidney Graham of Newport and Mr. Walter Parr of this city. The bride wore white liberty silk over white taffeta. She carried a spray of white chrysanthemums. The bridesmaid wore white china silk and carried pink chrysanthemums. The decorations throughout the house were very pretty. In the drawing-room, where the ceremony took place, white and yellow chrysanthemums, roses and carnations were arranged among autumn colored leaves and greenery. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts. After the wedding there was a reception, which was very largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson left on the 9 o'clock train for Boston. The future home of the newly married people will be in Newport, R. I., where Mr. Dickson is employed. Among the out-of-town people present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dearborn of Melrose; Mr. Sidney Graham of Newport, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Dickson of Newport, R. I.; Mrs. Esther of Nashua; Mr. Austin Casey of Pittsburg, Pa., formerly of this city; Miss Lucy Philbrick of Windham, N. H.

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Corrected to June 27, 1904. Trains leave Merrimack street depot Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.45, 7.10, *8.50, 9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.10, 4.25, x5.14 p. m. SUNDAYS 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.16, 6.2[illegible], *6.29, x6.43, w6.50, 7.01, 7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.07, w9.25, 9.33, w10.50, 11.03, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.41, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.03, 5.22, x5.40, *6.12, w6.15, 7.00, *7.29, 8.42, w9.45 p. m.; SUNDAYS 6.31, 7.24, 8.15, 8.48, 9.30 a. m.; w12.10, 3.25, w5.55, 5.29, w8.30, *8.42, *7.23, w8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.33, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.05, w9.15, *w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 1.45, 2.30, 3.15, 5.06, 7.05, 9.15, p. m. SUNDAYS 8.15, a. m.; 12.10, 3.15, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.[illegible], 2.30, w5.06, 6.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.[illegible], 3.51, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 5.00 p. m., until September 16, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 7.2[illegible], 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 1.[illegible], 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.[illegible] a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 5.30 a. m.; 12.05, [illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.[illegible], 5.06, p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Water Dr., Rockland and way stations [illegible], x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06, p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.10 to Lewiston only, 5.30 p. m.

For Rangeley, Belfast and way stations, 8.30 a. m.; [illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and [illegible] 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (Old [illegible] not run Saturdays) SUNDAYS [illegible] p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from [illegible] on Monday, Wednesday and Friday) [illegible] 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, [illegible] Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, [illegible] and Machiasport (via steamer [illegible] Jones from Portland), Tuesday [illegible] Friday at 5.00 p. m.

For Wolfe[illegible] 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.[illegible], [illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS 8.48 a. m.; 3.[illegible] p. m.

For [illegible] between Winchester and Boston [illegible] Division, 5.16, 6.28, 7.31, 7.[illegible], 9.[illegible] [illegible] a. m.; 1.16, 1.58, 4.28, 5.22, 6.[illegible], 8.[illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.27, 8.45, 9.30 a. m.; [illegible] p. m.

For Ayer [illegible] Way Stations 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; [illegible] and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Chelmsford [illegible] and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.0[illegible], 5.[illegible] p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Chester, [illegible] Bennington, Hoosac [illegible] 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 to [illegible] SUNDAYS, to [illegible]

For North [illegible] and Concord, 7.31 [illegible] 12.05, 1.0[illegible], [illegible] (to [illegible] only) 4.07, 5.39, 6.27, [illegible] (Clinton only) a. m.; *12.00, 2.50, [illegible] p. m.

For [illegible] Div., 7.39, *9.03 a. m.; [illegible]

For [illegible] White River Junction, [illegible] a. m.; 1.39, 5.36, [illegible] p. m.

For Winchester, Swanzey, Newport and Claremont Junction, [illegible] a. m.; 1.39, *5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS [illegible]

For St. [illegible] via Londonville [illegible] *10.30 p. m.

For Montreal [illegible] Junction, Burlington, [illegible] and Montreal [illegible] Line *5.39 a. m.; [illegible]

For Montreal, via Montreal and [illegible] *9.08 a. m.; *10.10 p. m.

[illegible] via Plymouth and [illegible] *7.[illegible], *10.10 p. m.

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WANTED—To hire two good pool tables. Address A. M., Sun office.

WANTED—Lady cashier, state experience, best of references required. Address J. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—A young girl to mind children and help to do light housework in small family, good home. Mrs. Brophy, 37 Andover st.

WANTED—A table girl at Mrs. Colling, 612 Suffolk st.

WANTED—Experienced hoopers on hosiery, steady job. Knitting Co., 146 Fletcher st.

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WANTED—Men. Apply at office of the American Mason Safety Tread Co., Perry street.

LADIES to do plain sewing at home on collars, nothing to buy, material sent everywhere free. Send addressed envelope. National Mfg. Co., 250 W. 125th st., New York.

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LADIES may obtain permanent employment selling hosiery direct to consumer. For particulars and sole agency address Pequot Mills, Hartford, Conn.

LADIES: Earn $20 per hundred writing sheet letters. Send stamped envelope for particulars. Ideal Mfg. Co., Cassopolis, Mich.

WANTED—A general house girl at once, small family. Inquire 167 Sixth st.

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MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 50 leading cities. Tolman, room 48, Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

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BOARDERS AND ROOMERS—Wanted at Quincy House, 53 Lee street. Special rates to transients. Hot and cold baths, electric light, clean rooms, everything up to date.

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CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 116-120 Gorham street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold locket, chain and small ring, between Blossom st. and Chelmsford Centre. Reward at 101 Blossom st.

FOUND—A dog. Owner can have by proving property and paying for adv. at 91 John st.

LOST—A wrist bag on Medford car or in Merrimack square, containing pocketbook, also sum of money and a few other small articles. Finder rewarded by returning same to Sun Office.

LOST—A pair of eye glasses between Congress st. and the Bunting mill. Reward at 137 Congress street.

LOST—Between Grand, Westford, Howard streets and Pike's market, a pocketbook containing sum of money. Reward 104 Grand st.

$10 REWARD—Lost in the Lawrence section, Tremont & Suffolk mills a wallet containing money, the finder returning it to the watchman Tremont & Suffolk mills will receive the above reward.

LOST—A $2 bill Thursday. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Sun Office.

FOUND—Gold watch chain last Saturday, the owner can have by calling at Sun Office and paying for this adv.

LOST—A gold watch charm inscribed with owner's name, between 469 Market street and Associate building. Reward will be paid by Harry Demarais, 469 Market st.

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SPECIAL NOTICE—All members of Fraternal Insurance orders, Pilgrims, A. O. U. W., Legion of Honor, Golden Cross, Royal Arcanum or others who are anxious to safeguard their investments or dissatisfied will please send their name, age and address to P. O. Box 1675, Lowell.

IT IS TO YOUR ADVANTAGE to buy our new crop Teas and fresh roasted Coffees. They are up-to date. Double stamps every day this week. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack st.

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MRS. ANNA M. COGGESHALL has moved from 26 to 27 Nichols street.

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PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1030 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day. wedding cakes made to order.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

TO LET

TO LET—The elegant residence of the late Amos W. Dows, 58 Highland st., facing the South Common, house has recently been refitted with large steam plant, new furnace and plumbing. Just the place for roomers and boarders. Inquire of A. W. Dows & Co.

TO LET—Ten room tenement all modern improvements, good location, house nearly new, close to cars. Apply Joseph Donohoe, Donovan Building, Towers Corner.

TO LET—Lodging and boarding house on South st. between Appleton and Middlesex. Inquire of owner Bernard McKiernan, 187 Appleton st.

TO LET—Dining room and kitchen in large lodging house centrally located, good stand for boarders, rent reasonable. Address Boarders, Sun Office.

TO LET—Neatly furnished rooms, furnace heat and bath, 40 Kirk st.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms, bath and pantry on Whipple street, near Central st., new house. Inquire at 16 Floyd st.

TENEMENTS—Warm and sunny. Now is the time to get suited in a warm pleasant tenement for the winter. We have a few vacant at present of from three to six rooms that have been put in extra thorough repair to make them comfortable for the winter. The prices range from $5.50 to $12 per month and you can have your choice of location, Belvidere, Centralville, Middlesex st. or the Highlands. Come quick if you want one. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Cottage house of 7 rooms at 31 Bye st., also stable to let on Fayette st., 3 stalls. Inquire J. W. Heery, 65 Merrimack st.

TO LET—Down stairs tenement of eight rooms on Canton st. with all modern improvements all in good repair, also garden, rent $18. Also up stairs tenement on Burnside st. good repair, seven rooms, rent $11. Apply to Asa C. Russell, 331 Wilder st.

TO LET—818 Bridge st. seven room flats, steam, electric lights, $20 per month. Inquire J. M. Butman, 1 Coral st.

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TO LET—Sunny tenement five rooms, shed, quiet location, near post office. Inquire 336 High st.

TO LET—First class tenement, 9 rooms, hot and cold water, set tubs, summer corner lot location in Belvidere. Apply 206 Pleasant st., cor. Rogers.

TO LET—Modern tenement of six rooms pantry and bath, hot and cold water, 27 State st. Inquire 752 Gorham st.

TO LET—House and barn, $10 a month. Inquire 632 Rogers st.

TO LET—Modern tenement of 7 rooms. Hot and cold water. Apply at 26 Varney st.

TO LET—A 8-room flat in excellent repair for two in family. Inquire 22 Franklin st.

TO LET—Tenement suitable for boarding house at corner Church and Lawrence streets. Inquire at A. Robinson's Provision store, 181 Church street.

TO LET—A few tenements in Belvidere, Centralville and the Highlands. Call and see us. Thomas H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

CHANCE SELDOM OFFERED—Will sell at great sacrifice a nice modern house, steam heat, highly respectable neighborhood in the Highlands, 12 minutes' walk to post office. Electrics pass door. Call or address Edward Kelley, 161 Branch street.

FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh, Donovan building, Central st.

125 ACRES ONLY $500—Productive farm near good neighbors, only ¼ mile to school; cuts 30 tons hay from nearly level fields; brook watered pasture for twelve cows; plenty of wood for the farm; 50 good young apple trees, 25 barrels in season; abundance berries, plums, pears, cherries; 5-room cottage house; barn, 26x72; running water; advanced age of owner cause of sale; price only $500, with $300 down and your notes for $50 a year, with interest for the balance; it is just the opportunity for a man of limited means to secure a farm where he can secure a good honest living for A family, raising corn, potatoes, oats and hay, and keeping flock of hens, a few sheep and some cows; cream can be sold at the door. Our new circular, "Harvest of Farm Bargains," just out, describes many farms throughout Maine and the other New England states, which can be bought on easy terms, with stock, tools and crops included. Write today. E. A. STROUT, Farm Dept. 30, 150 Nassau street, New York City, or Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass., or Kent's Hill, Me.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Auction sale at No. 2 Coolidge st. cor. Cheever st., Little Canada, Wednesday, Oct. 19th, 1904 at 10 o'clock a. m. A fine line of lodging house furniture, one large range, and good copper upright boiler, 50 gal. capacity in good condition. Per order, Mrs. Arvid Jedkin.

FOR SALE—A good all around horse. Inquire at 33 Inland st.

FOR SALE—4 ton of hay, in lots to suit. Apply 15 [illegible] st.

FOR SALE—Quarter acre lots in centre of city of Fort Meade, Polk County, Florida, only 200 feet from two hotels, three churches, banks and stores, electrics next to them, and R. R. depot only 2 minutes walk. Lots worth $200 for $75. $25 down and 10 dollars per month, take a tent with you or portable cottage, and hunt and fish all winter at an expense of one dollar a week, and not freeze in New England. Address Box 586, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Farmhouse of small flat just the place for couple wishing to begin small, cheap for cash. Apply C., Sun Office.

A BARGAIN—In Lynn, Mass., a lodging house first class location, clear income $50 per month. For sale or exchange for tenement house. 451 Essex st., Lynn, Mass.

FOR SALE—A second hand P. P. Steward parlor stove, No. 32. Inquire at 30 So. Loring st.

FOR SALE—Meat market on Central st. doing $500 a week, only $620. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—$300 buys best variety store in the city for the money. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—Owner nearly blind, must sell his store, nice tenement, rent low. Price only $150. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—25 room lodging house at ½ what it would cost to furnish it. Call at once if you want a nice place. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—Pool room doing fine business, big cigar trade. Here is a snap; call at once. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—I have best store with a 5-room tenement joining that can be had in the city; only $330. Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—Canoe, $10 down, $2 per week until paid for. 1 Fencing set, for $10; or $5 down and $1 per week until paid for. Address Bargain, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—5 sets of books, Irving's, Mullback's Capt. Marryat's, Eliot's and Prescott's works, will sell cheap if sold in two weeks. Address Book Bargain, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A boarding house must be sold at once, ill health the reason for selling. Address S. B., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Bay pacer, mark of eighteen, pneumatic tired runabout and democrat wagon. Inquire at 45 Bon Marche building.

MISCELLANEOUS

SALVATION ARMY, Shattuck st., Rummage sale, Saturday, October 15th, from 9.30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

MRS. CLARA ADAMS, clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opposite Court house.

TRADING STAMPS—Special this week only, fill your books this week 130 stamps, any kind with one pound of our best 60c Tea, 50 with our 35c coffee, 20 with our 30c coffee, 20 with our 25c coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Square, Junction of Gorham and Thorndike.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE, 378 Bridge st. Ladies when you need a machine buy the light-running White, the ball-bearing White, the incomparable White, the White Machine is king. Sold by George White & Son, second-hand machines from $3 upwards.

DOCTOR J. H. BRETON, 182 Merrimack st., Room 8, third landing, over Gilbride's. Hours from 1 to 9 p. m.

MADAM LENORE, clairvoyant, card reader and is also gifted with drawing power. Burbank Bldg. 26 Prescott st., second flight, Room 19.

REAL ESTATE MEN, property owners, etc. Will paper your room, furnishing gold paper and border to match, and hanging same in a first class manner for $2 per room. Special prices quoted on more than one room. Painting, whitewashing, etc., at correspondingly low prices. D. Baker & Co., 150 Gorham st.

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WE HAVE ALL the Fall Blocks of Hats and are prepared to supply the gentlemen of this city

HE ROBBED SAFES

James Lee Admits 14 Breaks and Implicates Adams

BOSTON, Oct. 13—In the arrest early yesterday morning of James A. Lee, a negro machinist, 35 years old, whose address the police have thus far refused to divulge, except that it is in South Boston, the mystery of a great many cases of safe robbery in Boston during the past six months has apparently been solved. Lee yesterday confessed to 14 cases in which he had an active part. His confederate, he said, was George F. Adams, alias Gilbert Morse, alias Herbert Morse, alias George Wilson, who is now in the East Cambridge jail awaiting trial on the charge of having burglar tools in his possession.

Adams was arrested by Patrolman Elwell of Medford a few nights ago. Elwell discovered signs of burglary in O'Brien's tailor shop in that city. As he entered the place a man ran away and Chief Watts says that this man was Lee. Elwell, however, did not chase the running man, but in his inspection of the tailor shop he found Adams hiding under a table. A complete set of burglar-tools, pronounced to be a very fine make, was found in the store.

Chief Watts for several months has had both Adams and Lee under suspicion. Many weeks ago he received information which caused him to keep an eye on the residence of the men in the South End. Chief Watts frankly admitted last night that the vigilance of the Medford police had robbed him of an excellent capture, but declared taht if Adams had not been arrested when he was, the Boston police would have very soon arrested both men.

In his confession yesterday Lee admitted having drilled the safes in the following places:

D. Sweeney, 369 Tremont street, April 9.

Grand Opera house, May 1.

Worcester creamery, 49 Berkeley street, June 13.

Emerson & Brando, provision dealers, 651 Tremont street, June 14.

Cudahy packing company, Clinton street, July 22.

Marshall Johnson & Sons, 27 Faneuil Hall square, July 26.

Lyon Bros., 72 Federal street, Aug. 3.

George B. Hugo, 147 Shawmut avenue, Aug. 17.

Remick Bros., Main street, Charlestown, Aug. 22.

James F. Kimball, 37 Fulton street, Sept. 10.

George H. Grant, 301 Harrison avenue, Sept. 15.

Hicker's pool room, Pleasant street, Sept. 20.

Lyons Bros., 607 Atlantic avenue, Oct. 2.

Bunker Hill carriage company, 530 Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, Oct. 3.

At one time Adams, Lee's alleged partner, was employed as a teamster for James F. Kimball, proprietor of one of the stores which he broke into. Lee admitted that he had known Adams, who is white, for a long time. They had been schoolmates.

Adams has served sentences in the Concord reformatory and also in the state prison on charges of having burglar tools in his possession. Ever since he was released from state prison Lee admits they have been inseparable. They worked various burglaries without assistance from anyone else. They obtained the necessary tools from different places. Lee said, and Chief Watts says that the tools are among the best he has ever seen.

When Adams was arrested in Medford the kit of tools found consisted of a sectional jimmy, which contained countersunk holes, numerous drills, a fine bitsstock, wrench, ratchet drill, steel punches, brace, a clutch and a block of wood which was fashioned to aid the implements in drilling the lock of a safe.

HAD A UNIQUE OUTFIT.

"While these two burglars," said Chief Watts last night, "got very little money in their numerous breaks, they certainly had the most unique outfit I ever heard of. Mind you, they never used explosives. Their system was to drill about the lock of the safe door and so wreck the mechanism that they could readily throw the bolt from the outside. Therefore they made no noise and for that reason escaped detection for a long period.

"Lee explained to me yesterday the method of operation on a safe door. In drilling the lock a method devised by himself and Adams was used. A block of wood, a jimmy, a ratchet and a drill were combined into a mechanical appliance which even the stoutest safe door was hardly able to withstand. The apparatus was so arranged that the jimmy gave increased pressure upon the ratchet when it was in operation. When the holes were drilled into the lock a punch was inserted and by hammering the punch they destroyed the lock. This permitted them to throw the bolts and open the safe.

"Besides the ingenious method which these men employed in breaking open safes and their entrance into buildings was often very curious. They did not always succeed in opening the safes. For instance, at Kimball's place on Fulton street, after they mounted the fire escape, entered a window, descended to the safe and drilled it, something happened which they had not reckoned upon. They drilled the safe door, but when they attempted to destroy the lock a piece of metal dropped into the combination in such a way that it prevented the bolt from being thrown back when the handle was turned. So they gave up the attempt without securing anything.

"When they entered Sweeney's place on April 9 they first got into a vacant floor above the store. They cut their way through a partition and tackled the safe. After they laboriously drilled the door through and had wasted their strength in the effort to demolish the lock, they discovered that the safe had not been locked. The bookkeeper had forgotten to throw the lock. The burglars got only a few dollars. When they left they forgot to take a saw which was a part of their kit.

WHY THEY CARRIED A SAW.

"I might explain why they needed a saw by referring to a break in the store of Emerson & Brando on June 14, when they secured $34. In this case the burglars sawed a hole through the ceiling from the floor above. With an auger they bored a number of holes through floor and ceiling, covering an area large enough to admit of their dropping through to the apartment below. After the holes were bored the saw was brought into play and the intervening woodwork was all removed.

"At Remick Bros. in Charlestown, too, the saw was used. They got $100 there. When Lee was telling me about getting into this place through the floor above he paused in his narrative and chuckled. 'Gee,' he said, 'that was the biggest drop I ever took. When I fell through that hole I thought I was going down 100 feet. I thought I'd never reach the bottom.'

"'Well, how did you get out?' I asked him. 'At first I thought I couldn't get out, but after we got through with the safe I happened to find a stepladder, and it just reached the hole. So we crawled out the way we came in.'

"From these different breaks we have collected quite a lot of tools which the burglars left behind them in their hasty departure. In the office of the Cudahy packing company a steel drill was found which had been broken in the effort to enter the safe. That shows the tremendous force which the burglars were able to exert by the mechanical contrivance they had devised. At the place of George H. Hugo several twisted drills were found.

GOOD DETECTIVE WORK.

"I want to say that the arrest of Lee I consider one of the best cases of detective work that has occurred in Boston for a long time. Inspectors Morrissey, Burr, Cronin, Conway and Kelley have all worked incessantly in the effort to clear up these peculiar cases. We knew after several of these breaks had been committed that the work was being done by the same men; the jobs were all so similar. We also had a good idea that the men we had under suspicion were the burglars, but we did not wish to hurry the arrest. We hoped to get the most positive evidence before taking them into custody. The slip they made at Medford put an end for the time being to our part in the case. Now we know that the man who escaped when Adams was arrested was Lee."

One piece of evidence which the Boston police discovered had a peculiar influence in convincing the authorities that Lee was implicated with Adams in the buglaries. In the Medford break a knife was left behind. After Adams' arrest Chief Watts was interested to talk with him. He readily recognized him as having served time in the state prison and in the Concord reformatory. Thinking that more than two men were implicated in the burglary, Watts sent his inspectors to find out with whom Adams associated. Adams lived in the house kept by a man who had been a fellow employe at Kimball's. Lee lived there at the same time. The inspectors who worked on that branch of the case could not discover that Adams had any particular associate besides Lee. They carried the knife found in the Medford store to the man with whom Adams and Lee had boarded and asked him whose it was. He said unhesitatingly that it was Lee's.

Lee was then arrested. He was brought to headquarters at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. He was found by Inspector Burr on Harrison avenue in Chinatown. For certain reasons the fact of his arrest was suppressed by the police.

Adams may be brought to Suffolk county to be jointly tried with Lee. He has not yet admitted anything.

COMMUTE SENTENCE

BILL IN FAVOR OF MRS. ROGERS.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 13—The Farmers' Legislative league of Vermont held its annual meeting last night. S. W. Butterfield of Weathersfield was elected president, R. B. Galusha of Royalton secretary, H. N. Davis of Glover treasurer, Dana Morse of Randolph, George Atkins of Woodstock and Senator G. W. Pierce of Brattleboro, executive committee.

In a legislature of 276 senators and representatives this house has a membership of more than 150. Its object is to secure legislation unfavorable to the farmers of Vermont. It will hold weekly meetings during the session of the legislature to consider and discuss bills that have been introduced.

Representative Archibald of Manchester introduced in the house yesterday a bill commuting to life imprisonment the death sentence of Mary Rogers of Bennington. Mr. Archibald was counsel for Mrs. Rogers, who was convicted at the last December term of Bennington county court of murder in the first degree in killing her husband and was sentenced to be hanged by Judge J. H. Watson. It is intimated that when this bill is reached in committee room it will be shown that evidence has been discovered since the trial that Mrs. Rogers on an occasion before the one on which she was tried, attempted to do away with her husband.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that a bill was introduced in the legislature yesterday substituting life imprisonment for the death penalty in cases where there is a conviction of murder in the first degree and 30 years' imprisonment for murder in the second degree.

Asthma Can Be Cured

The statement of Mr. J. F. Homan, 20 E. Adams St., Chicago, proves that the worst cases of Asthma in the world are not only relieved, but are readily cured by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure. He says: "Asthma kept me in terrible misery for ten years until I used your Asthma Cure. After the first trial I was a changed man. I went to sleep that night and awoke next day much relieved and I have gotten entirely over the Asthma. It is now nine years since I was cured."

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CAUSED POVERTY

Sad Result in Waggaman Case

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13.—The statement of assets of Thomas E. Waggaman, ex-treasurer and member of the board of trustees of the Catholic university of America, which is in the hands of Andrew Y. Bradley, referee in bankruptcy, is being given to the public on the instalment plan. The more the public and the creditors learn of the assets the worse they feel. There are thousands of creditors, and they have all employed lawyers to try and get as much of their money back as possible.

"In my opinion the creditors of Thos. E. Waggaman will not receive 15 cents on the dollar at the outside," declared one of the most prominent attorneys of the local bar yesterday afternoon. "This conclusion I reached after a very careful investigation of Mr. Waggaman's affairs, into which I proceeded as far as was possible. A number of other lawyers connected with the case, with whom I have conferred, agree with me. This affair is a most appalling one, and the creditors should be made to realize the true position as soon as possible. I am firmly convinced that the value Mr. Waggaman has placed on his assets, as set in his schedule, is something like 10 times what it ought to be."

The city hall is almost encircled by the offices of attorneys for Waggaman creditors. All of these lawyers who could be found today spoke in the same strain as did the individual quoted. As they look into the cases of their clients they say they grow more and more astonished.

Each lawyer seen yesterday had many instances of interest to relate. As the result of the Waggaman failure it was asserted that at least one aged woman already has had to go to almshouse, there to spend the remainder of her days. A workingman with a large family dependent on him is said to be at death's door through worry and final collapse, all of his small savings having been placed in Mr. Waggaman's hands. The situation, so far as a large portion of the community is concerned, seems to be truly tragic.

Among the pathetic features of the case are the losses which, it is said, have been sustained by orphan girls. It was explained today that at St. Ann's Infant Asylum, among others, as girls in its care attained the proper age they are sent out to sew and perform other duties and work. By the hardest kind of labor they accumulated pittances, which they turned over to those conducting the institution for safekeeping.

In order that some sort of an income might be realized for the benefit of the parentless girls, the money was intrusted to Mr. Waggaman for safe investment. This money is now included with the other liabilities. Other incidents of the same general character are heard on all sides.

One of the largest, if not the largest, creditors of Mr. Waggaman is the Catholic university of America. It is a creditor to the extent of nearly $900,000. A careful investigation has been made of the securities offered by Mr. Waggaman for this amount, with the result that it is learned that the securities are appraised at only about $100,000.

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DROPPED A BOMB

Man Wanted to Kill His Wife

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Henry Hoganeamp, [illegible], went to Richard Odell's [illegible] last evening and asked to see Mrs. Mary Marr, alleged to be his wife. The woman left him three weeks ago and went to cook in the saloon.

Hogan asked the woman to return to him and she refused. He dropped a paper covered package he was carrying and a ten-foot section of the side wall was blown into the street. The police and firemen responded to the alarm and both were dropped into the ruins. Hoganeamp had his eyes blown out. The woman had the flesh torn off her arms to the bone. She was conscious for a short time. She could give no other information than that the man dropped his package. He was [illegible]. No one was in the room with the couple. The adjoining building was wrecked somewhat. The police do not know what sort of explosive was used.

TWELFTH BIRTHDAY

MISS ANNA CURRY ENTERTAINED YOUNG FRIENDS.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curry in Highland avenue, North Chelmsford, was the scene of a delightful social time Tuesday evening, the occasion being the twelfth anniversary of the birth of their little daughter, Miss Anna.

In honor of the event a large number of the little friends of the young lady had assembled and assisted most admirably in making the happy occasion one never to be forgotten. Miss Curry was assisted in receiving by Miss Rose McElhaney, and as each little one entered he or she tendered a slight token of esteem, among which were many valuable gifts. Among the presents received was a beautiful watch and pin from her brother, John J. Curry. An entertainment of an informal character was enjoyed, with piano solos by Misses Gertrude Quigley, Esther Pope and Elizabeth Donoghue. Vocal solos of a most pleasing nature were rendered by Miss May McCoy and Master Walter McCoy. Light refreshments were dispensed to the little ones, while games and other indoor diversions were indulged in. At a seasonable hour the gathering dispersed, wishing the charming little hostess many returns of the day.

SILK O'LOUGHLIN

WELL KNOWN UMPIRE NOMINATED FOR SENATE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 13.—"Silk" O'Loughlin, the American league umpire, was yesterday unanimously nominated for the state senate by the democrats of the second district of Monroe county. His chances of election are thought to be very good.

OFFICER FLANAGAN

CHOSEN DIRECTOR OF THE POLICE ASSOCIATION.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—The largest convention in the history of the Massachusetts Police association, with respect to the number of delegates in attendance, convened in this city yesterday. It was the fourth annual meeting, and 66 delegates were reported before the noon adjournment. Through the courtesy of Justice John J. McDonough of the second district court, the session was held in the court room.

The delegates coming to this city by train were met at the depot by a committee consisting of Captain Doherty and Lieutenant Devine, and they were escorted into the court room by Lieutenants Mahoney and Milton and Patrolmen Tierney and Openshaw, who were on special duty.

Soon after 1.30 the delegates were called to order by President William H. Batchelder, deputy chief of the Cambridge department. Lieutenant John Kean of the Cambridge force officiated as secretary. A committee on credentials was appointed, of which Patrick M. McGlynn of this city was chairman, which reported that 59 delegates were present. Subsequently seven others were accepted by the convention.

President Batchelder delivered an address of welcome to the members, reviewing the work accomplished by the association in its short period of existence. The following committees were then appointed:

Insurance—Patrick H. Doherty, Fall River; Fred Cannon, Chicopee; Frank L. Remington, New Bedford; David M. Hudson, Chelsea; James H. McKenna, Waltham; Louis B. Heaton, Malden and James Maher, Malden.

On per capita tax—James Cash, Taunton; Thomas L. McKenney, Lynn; H. O. Irving, Fitchburg; John J. McGrath, Cambridge; Edward F. Flanagan, Lowell; Charles F. McDermott, Woburn; William J. Quilty, Springfield.

On nomination of officers—William Hughes, Lawrence; Charles H. Allen, Somerville; William M. Mullen, Cambridge; Daniel F. Sweeney, New Bedford; Michael R. Skelly, Fall River; Daniel B. Doherty, Fitchburg and John E. Crowley, Lowell.

The convention took a recess shortly after noon to attend a banquet at the Hotel Langford, which had been tendered by the local association.

At the afternoon session the following officers were elected: President, [illegible] F. Sweeney, New Bedford; vice [illegible], Henry T. Ryan, Haverhill; [illegible], James W. Keaney, Cambridge; treasurer, Christopher H. [illegible], Boston.

PROBATE COURT—Judge Lawton.

[illegible] presented for allowance, Oct. 11: J. [illegible] Abbott; Mary Wheeler, Lowell; [illegible] Newton; Asuaath Basley, Bolton; [illegible] Edward Slavin, Natick; John Nyland[illegible]ridge; Eben Robinson, Townsend; Mary Stow, Cambridge; H. F. [illegible] McIlroy; Emily Everett, Cambridge; F. M. Poor, Somerville; Mary [illegible] Stoneham; Rhoda King, Holliston; Diana Magee, Watertown; W. [illegible] Keene, N. H.; Ephraim Taylor, [illegible]; Mary Anderson, Malden. Administrators: W. E. Messer, Ayer; [illegible] Sullivan, Benwood, W. Va.; [illegible] Adams, Malden; Ellen Poor, Somerville; H. S. Brown, Stow; Harriet [illegible], Malden; Sarah Griffin, Concord; [illegible] Rodick, Somerville; Elizabeth Mahoney, Medford; Lora Hartwell, Chelsea; Euphemia Capen, Framingham; [illegible] O'Connor, Ashland; A. D. Wyman, Cambridge; Elizabeth Barry, Somerville; Michael Sullivan, Melrose; Mary [illegible], Wakefield; Maude Barker, Malden; [illegible] Beckman, Cambridge; E. W. [illegible], Lowell; Anna Royal, Wakefield; [illegible] Shanahan, Lowell; Michael Dre[illegible]; [illegible] Pierrell; Elizabeth Gooch, Holliston; Mary Thissell, Dracut; Nellie [illegible] Reading; Mary Conn, Woburn; [illegible] Alley, Watertown.

CHILDREN DEAD

As Result of Eating Decayed Fruit

NEEDHAM, Mass., Oct. 12—Two children of Mrs. Mary Connell, who lives in Needham near the Newton line, are dead and two others have narrowly escaped fatal results from eating decayed fruit. Last week, the children visited a place where fruit peddlers are accustomed to leave such material as is not salable and finding a quantity of grapes, ate them. On Friday, Caroline, four years old, was seized with convulsions. She died four hours later. Christina, 6 years old, became ill on Saturday and died in convulsions on Sunday.

PREACHER'S LOVE

GIRL SAYS THAT IT HAS COOLED.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Oct. 12.—Ardent letters formed the greater part of the testimony in the $10,000 suit brought by Miss Gertrude Koch of Allentown against the Rev. Edgar J. Heilman, pastor of Grace Evangelical Lutheran church at Wyndmoor, charging him with breaking his pledge to her. The case went to the jury yesterday.

Miss Koch, who was the first witness called, is a rich, handsome brunette. J. F. Mais, counsel for the defendant, said that to expedite matters the defence would admit the engagement and breach of promise. The story of the meeting and acquaintance of the pair followed. After some objection several letters from the defendant were read. One said:

My Own Dear Blanche: I am sure that nobody was more in love than I am with you. When I read your last letter I was pretty beastly beside myself when I thought that maybe you did not care so much for me. Now that I am down here, away from you, you may forget me. Then, too, I know that I am not worthy of you. If we were married I could have you down here with me, but as it is I get so lonely I sometimes want to cry.

Last night I had the most delightful dream. I thought you were with me but when I awoke I found it was all a dream. I am trying, oh, so hard, to make something out of myself; something you can be proud of.

This was only a small part of a letter that wound up with the words: "For love like ours can never die. It will endure even beyond the grave."

Following this, Mr. Dewalt read another letter:

My Dear Blanche: Justice to both of us demands that I should write and tell you what I am at last compelled to admit that I no longer love you. This conviction has been growing steadily for the past year, and, though I had tried to make myself believe that it is not so, I finally am forced to tell you.

I do not blame you—far from it; you are a noble, high souled, Christian girl, and I shall always esteem you highly. I do not know whom or what to blame. It has just come about that my love has waned. You will probably be very angry, but you cannot blame me more than I blame myself, nor will you suffer more than I do.

In a letter written three days later, after Heilman had received the girl's reply to his other communication, he told her he thought she was "taking the affair too seriously."

AMERICAN BOARD

OFFICERS NOMINATED BY PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE.

GRINNELL, Ia., Oct. 13.—All the officers of the American board of foreign missions were nominated by the prudential committee yesterday and will be elected as recommended. The officers will be: President, Samuel B. Capen; treasurer, Frank I. Wiggins; secretaries, James T. Burton and Judson Smith; secretary home department, Cornelius Patton.

The annual survey of the work of the board contained the following:

Work has been carried on in 1693 places, in all fields. The number of missionaries is 570. There are 4179 native Christian laborers engaged with them in the work of education and evangelization. Twenty-three new churches have been organized, making the present total 558, with a membership of 62,123. These churches added 5708 new members last year by profession of faith. There are over 70,000 pulpits in the Sunday schools. There are 14 theological schools and 18 collegiate institutions, in which there are 2345 students in training, with nearly 7000 in high and boarding schools and nearly 44,000 in village schools. The total number of pupils under instruction in all the institutions of the board is 70,818, an increase of more than 3000 during the year. The natives contributed $173,184 for the work.

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10 with 1 lb 20c Coffee.
10 with 1 bottle 10c Blue.
10 with 1 can 12c Peas.
10 with 1 can 12c Tomatoes.
10 with 1 pkg 10c Corn Starch.
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Best Smoked Shoulders	10c lb
Good Eggs	22c Doz.
Best Eastern Green Mountain Potatoes	17c Pk., 65c Bushel
16 lbs. of Sweet Potatoes	25c
Best Round Steak	12½ to 15c Lb
Best Rump and Sirloin	15c to 18c Lb
Corn Beef	5c to 7c Lb
New Cabbage	1c Lb
Bread Flour	85c Bag
Best Bread Flour	6.75 Bbl
Challenge Milk 3 cans	25c
Best Seeded Raisins	5c Pkg

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☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

APPEAL FOR MONEY TO BUY VOTES.

The republicans have sent out their appeal for funds to the magnates of Wall street. It is tacitly understood that this appeal is for money to buy votes. The republicans with the aid of the trusts are out to purchase the presidency as they have on many previous occasions. The trusts give the money on condition that they shall enjoy certain privileges, such as the shelter of a high tariff wall that saves them absolutely from foreign competition. They then fix prices as high as they please and extort as much as they please from the people. Thus instead of a free republic we have a trustocracy made up of a combination of the trusts and the republican party.

IT IS NOW SENATOR CRANE.

The vacancy in the United States senate, caused by the death of Senator Hoar, has been temporarily filled by the appointment of Ex-Governor Winthrop Murray Crane. Although not an orator, Ex-Governor Crane stands high in the estimation of Massachusetts voters. He succeeded a gifted orator as governor of the state and proved an able executive. As senator he will also take the place of a great orator, and it is safe to predict that his lack of the gift of oratory will be fully compensated for by his superior administrative ability. It is quite probable that the governor's selection in this case will meet the ready endorsement of the next legislature.

SWINGING OVER TO PARKER.

Here is an extract from a letter of an old Fremont republican addressed to Mr. James W. Pryor, secretary of the Parker Independent club of New York. It expresses the sentiment held by many republicans throughout the country:

Dear Sir:—Yours of September 30th suggesting that I become a member of a Parker Independent Club received with thanks. I beg in reply to say, as a republican voter from the days of Fremont down to the present, I am and have been a republican; that I find myself in opposition to the nomination and election of Mr. Roosevelt, and I regard his re-election as a menace to the liberties and constitutional rights of the people. And God knows what he might undertake to do should he find himself again chosen for president. In time of profound peace he is for warlike expenditure and enormous taxation, now too excessive and burdensome in nation and state.

I am now 70 years of age, and have not been the average man so poor in money for a long time.

I hope and believe that Judge Parker will be chosen by the electors on November 8th, in the hope and the confident belief that the great ship of state, under his command may be, and will be guided by constitution law, as laid down by our fathers and not by Roosevelt's whims and unscrupulous methods.

In this vicinity there are about 100 disaffected republicans.

Yours truly, (Signed)
A. P. BLANCHARD.

This is the sentiment that is bringing republicans over to the support of Parker in every part of the country.

AS TO RECIPROCITY.

"Reciprocity a Dream," is the heading of an editorial in the Citizen yesterday. Well, if it be a dream today it was not so considered in 1896, when the republican party in its platform declared that "the repeal of reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations and secure enlarged markets for the products of our farms, forests and factories. Protection and reciprocity are twin measures of republican policy and go hand in hand. Democratic rule has recklessly struck down both and both must be reestablished."

If reciprocity were but "a dream" it is rather strange that the republican party should pronounce its abrogation a national calamity. Seldom do dreams take on such a serious aspect.

We have here the promise and pledge of the republican party in 1896, but it is yet unfulfilled—like a great many other republican promises.

When the Dingley law was passed the republican party held out the hope to the country that a series of reciprocity treaties would be negotiated and an express provision for a reduction of 20 per cent. in its enormous duties was purposely inserted with the understanding that the treaties would follow. The Dingley law went into effect, and when the trusts found that the high duties gave them absolute protection from competition they raised a howl against any further reciprocity treaties and the republicans acquiesced in the demands of the trusts.

President McKinley through his commissioner, Mr. Kasson, negotiated a number of reciprocity treaties with foreign countries. They were submitted to the senate and there pigeonholed, never to be heard of again.

Senator Lodge, like other republican bosses, became the leader of the opposition to reciprocity. Like his party at first he said he favored it and then he said he didn't, unless a brand of reciprocity could be obtained that would not affect any American industry. In other words he wanted a reciprocity measure on which all the concessions would be on one side. Here then was a palpable breach of faith.

The Cuban reciprocity treaty was a final compromise between the friends and enemies of reciprocity. In order to make it the the last reciprocity treaty, after the treaty was ratified by Cuba, the republicans inserted an amendment which Cuba did not ask for, to the effect that no treaty should be made with other nations which involved a reduction of sugar duties. That single clause killed all the treaties then pending in the senate with one exception.

That was a capitulation to the sugar trust. Thus ended that great policy which the republicans boasted would give us the markets of the world.

The extra margin which was to be bargained away by treaties is held fast by the protection sharks who are unwilling to let go the power of stamping out competition in the commodities in which they deal.

Now with a reciprocity treaty with Canada we can secure the trade of that growing colony. We can get the advantage of its vast forests, its supply of pulp for the manufacture of paper and other products with benefit to American agriculture, manufactures, mining and commerce.

Our exports to Canada have steadily increased since 1873 until at present the Dominion is our third largest customer, while our imports from Canada, owing to the prohibitive tariff wall, have increased but little. Our exports to Canada for the fiscal year of 1904 aggregated $[illegible], our imports in the same year were but $3,000,000 more than in 1896 or $[illegible]. In 1903 the exports of Canada to Great Britain amounted to $125,000,000.

Canada, owing to her disappointment in getting reciprocity concessions from the United States has made a reduction of 33⅓ per cent. in her tariff rates on British imports except liquors, medicines, tobacco, cigars and a few other things. Thus we are losing the trade of Canada. To get it back and hold it we have but to make reciprocal concessions which will be beyond question as beneficial to the United States as to Canada.

The Citizen admits that reciprocity would benefit New England at the expense of the rest of the country. What helps New England industrially will help the country as a whole. Reciprocity would help the people, although it might hurt a few of the trusts and just at present the republican party is doing nothing to offend the trusts.

SEEN AND HEARD

Some men are like rainbows—they show up when the storm is over.

Three snowflakes and the coolness of the atmosphere yesterday rather made a fellow consider what disposition he had made of his summer wages.

Unless a fellow is very resourceful it is pretty hard for him to pave his way to riches on a salary of a dozen dollars a week.

"Johnnie" Roach, the well-known operator of this city, is ill in a hospital in Boston. His friends in the newspaper business in this city hope for his speedy recovery.

Some fellow whom somebody considered a wonk quotist said that the road to Hades was paved with good intentions. If that is the case it strikes us that that particular road would be a good one for an automobile race.

Frequently invitations to attend outings or other affairs, with the inscription: "R. S. Please leave your pencil and notebook at home" on the invitation are received at newspaper offices. The "R. S." is a polite way of asking for a two or three column write-up.

John J. Sullivan, the well-known tailor, has introduced one of the best advertisers that has been sent out for some time. It is an aluminum ruler twelve inches long and the reverse side contains a list of the fire alarm boxes. It is cleverly gotten up and should find a place on every desk.

The Lowell football team has great confidence in young McQuade, the hustling quarter-back. He is a plucky player and has his head about him all the time. This is necessary for the quarter-back is the one who gives all the signals and figures out the plays during the game. McQuade seems to fill the bill all right.

The last couple of weeks have been pretty dull for some of the local undertakers. One undertaker informed the writer that it wasn't the loss of business that he was afraid of, but it was the fact that unless there were more deaths the daily increase in the population might in the near future deprive many people of ample breathing space.

"Will you please pull the bell?" said a woman to a young man on a Broadway car the other day. "No, madam," replied the smart youth who was of the "straw fed" species, "but I will pull the cord which is attached to the bell." "Don't you do it," cried the woman, "There is a bell on either end of the rope and the motorman might stop the wrong end of the car."

The Lowell Military band made a great hit with the Boston people in Saturday's parade. The popular director of the band, Mr. James A. Murphy, had thirty men in line and they played the latest marching music to the great delight of the onlookers. "The Mathews want the best they can get and are always willing to pay for it," says Mr. Murphy, "and we always want to do the best we can and even better if possible for the Mathews."

The debating club of the C. Y. M. L. is worthy of the support of the young men of St. Patrick's parish. It includes only members of the C. Y. M. L. and the benefit derived by the young men is sufficient to attract the young men of the parish to the organization. Questions of current interest are debated and everyone has an opportunity to take part. The meetings are held on Friday night and a more pleasant evening cannot be spent than by attending the debating club session.

Happy the man, whose wish and care
A few paternal acres bound,
Content to breathe his native air,
In his own ground.
Whose herds with milk, whose fields with bread,
Whose flocks supply him with attire;
Whose trees in summer yield him shade,
In winter fire.
Blest, who can unconcern'dly find
Hours, days and years slide soft away,
In health of body, peace of mind,
Quiet by day.
Sound sleep by night, study and ease,
Together mixed; sweet recreation,
And innocence, which most does please,
With meditation.
Thus let me live, unseen, unknown;
Thus unlamented let me die,
Steal from the world, and not a stone
Tell where I lie.

INHALED GAS

DOCTOR DISCOURAGED AT LACK OF PRACTICE.

LYNN, Oct. 13.—Discouraged, it is thought, because of his inability to command a profitable practice, Dr. Clarendon W. Willey committed suicide in his room at the Kirkland house early yesterday by inhaling illuminating gas. He was found on a bed with one end of a rubber tube connected with a gas jet held between his teeth.

Dr. Willey, who was 34 years of age, was a graduate of the university of Vermont, and until June of this year house surgeon at the Lynn hospital. At that time he opened an office here for general practice.

Last night he left his room on Summer street, went to the hotel and engaged a room, to which he retired about 9 o'clock. Today employes detected the odor of gas and upon breaking into the room found the doctor dead. Dr. Pickman, the medical examiner, expressed the opinion that he had been dead about 10 hours. No papers were left by the suicide.

Walter Willey of Cambridge, a brother of the doctor had an appointment with him in Somerville yesterday, and after waiting several hours came to Lynn to look for his brother up. When informed that he had committed suicide Mr. Willey said that the only possible reason was that the doctor had been unable to build up a good practice.

Dr. Willey is survived by three brothers, two of whom are in business in Cambridge, Mass., and the third is the postmaster at Burlington, Vt.

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A wonderfully broad variety of most excellent suits for boys 8 to 16 years of age. Here are double breast jacket suits, double seam and sewn with silk, trousers with double seat and double knees. Norfolk plaited jacket suits and three piece suits with single breast jacket and vest. It is a group of handsome, dressy, stylish suits, all made especially for us, from new Scotch cheviots and cassimeres, plain black and blue Thibets and unfinished worsteds and winter weight serges, unmatchable in value and style for **$5.00**

Eton Norfolk Suits

the newest suits for boys 6 years to 10. Special lots made to our order. Narrow Eton collar on the jacket and bloomer trousers, with silk tie and with every suit goes a separate white Eton collar. In blue cheviot, serge and pretty fancy cheviots, from **$2.50 to $5**

Russian Blouse Suits

of handsome wide wale corduroy, in brown, blue and red, bloomer trousers, silk ties and separate white collars—value $6—today for only **$4.00**

Russian Blouse Suits

of all wool plain cloths, in blue, red and brown, sizes 3 years to 6 — with bloomer trousers, silk tie and separate white Eton collar. These today for **$2.50**

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IN CONVENTION

Baptists Held Thirty Ninth Meeting Yesterday

The Merrimack River Baptist association, comprising Baptist churches of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill, and the neighboring towns, met in the Baptist church in Andover yesterday. The servires began at 9.30 o'clock and were held morning, afternoon and evening. The principal speakers of the morning were Prof. Galusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL.D., of Newton Centre, and Rev. George F. Green of the First Baptist church of Lawrence. The addresses were able and interesting.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, pastor of Chelmsford Centre Baptist church, opened the morning session. Rev. A. T. Belknap, pastor of the entertaining church, conducted the devotional service.

The ballot for moderator resulted in the election of Rev. George F. Green, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The following committees were appointed by the chair.

On order of business—Rev. A. T. Belknap, Dea. G. T. Morey and Rev. C. C. Earle.

On credentials—Rev. C. H. Ellis, Rev. William Packard and C. F. Gegenheimer.

On arrangements for next year—Rev. C. C. Earle, Dea. S. F. Snell, Mrs. N. O. Magoon.

On nominations—Rev. H. E. Chapman, Deacon W. L. Floyd, Rev. A. P. Wedge.

On resolutions—Rev. S. T. Ford, D. D., Rev. C. F. Pierce, Rev. R. L. Webb, Rev. R. F. True, Rev. S. L. Morse.

On state of religion—Rev. C. F. Morgan, D.D., Rev. Orville Coats, Rev. E. A. Whittier.

On nominating a trustee for Massachusetts Charitable Association—Dea. W. F. Hills, Dea. Finlay Stevenson, N. O. Hagoon.

On systematic beneficence—Rev. A. R. Dilts, Rev. C. W. Williams, Mrs. J. M. Safford, Mrs. C. T. Morgan, Mrs. A. P. Wedge, Rev. T. P. Evans and Dea. L. O. Norris.

On entertainment—Mrs. G. E. Murray, Rev. F. W. Blakeslee, Rev. A. T. Belknap.

Rev. Orville Coats offered prayer.

At noon a dinner was served at the Town hall for the visitors and many enjoyed a tour of Andover under the direction of Rev. Mr. Belknap.

The day's program follows:

9.30 a.m.- Devotional service.

10 a.m.—Business.

10.30 a.m.—Address, "The New Testament Conception of the Spiritual Life," by Prof. Galusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL.D., of Newton Centre.

11 a.m.—Sermon by Rev. George F. Green, Lawrence.

12 m.—Dinner.

2 p.m.—Business.

2.30 p.m.- Report of the committee on the state of religion, Rev. S. L. Morse, Merrimac. Discussion of the report of the committee. Rev. Robert L. Webb of Haverhill, C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence, and Stephen Moore, Newton.

3.45 p.m.—Address, "The Spiritual Influence of Environment," by Rev. Edwin L. Snell of West Newton.

4.15 p.m.—Address, "Spiritual Growth Through Prayer and Devotion," by Rev. A. P. Wedge of Lowell.

4.55 p.m—"Spiritual Growth Through Sacrifice and Service," by Rev. Orville Coats of Lowell.

6 p.m.—Supper.

7 p.m.—Devotional, Rev. C. C. Earle of Lawrence.

7.30 p.m.—Business.

7.45 p.m.—Address, "Above Every Name," by Rev. George H. Ferris of Calvary Baptist church, New Haven, Conn.

In his address Rev. Gallusha Anderson, S. T. D., LL. D., of Newton Centre, said: "I do not find a definition on the subject from the first chapter of Mathew to the last verse in Revelations. There are very important declarations, but no definitions. Spiritual life is not going apart from our fellow men to be alone in that sense, now called going into retreat. I do not say it is not profitable to be alone, and to have our own thoughts before God but to call that spirituality is incorrect. You cannot get away from yourself. You always have to take along your sinful heart. You should be in the world, separated in spiritual and moral character, but associated with all men, that we may do them good and bring about their salvation.

"The spirituality of the New Testament does not imply that we must be perfect in order to be spiritual. There is but one perfect character, Jesus Christ, holy and undefiled. He has been made higher than the highest. The passage reading, 'We cannot sin because we are born of the Father,' means we cannot go on committing sin continually, but if a man say he sinneth not he is a liar.' The carnal nature remains, but when the spiritual nature in man commences he has the beginning of divine life, not yet developed. Spirituality does not include perfection, but longs for it.

Rev. H. E. Chapman of Haverhill read the scripture, which was followed by the annual address delivered by Rev. George F. Green. His theme belng, "The Divine and Human Demand for a Loyal Church." The text was a portion of I. Timothy, ix, 13. "Give attendance to doctrine."

Mr. Green said in part: "In reviewing the list of those who have preached before the association during the past twenty years, I find that in no case has the preacher remained in the association to repeat the experience.

"It has been the glory of the Baptist church, that it has always recognized the two-fold demand the divine and human demand for a loyal church. Divine as recognizing the desire of God to accomplish the bringing in of the kingdom of heaven through the agency of the church. Human as rendering a service of ministry to mankind, that they may find their way into the kingdom. But the Baptist church has the added honor of loyalty. Amid persecutions in all ages, we have ever held to the teaching of the inspired Word as the revealed Will of God for mankind.

"We need only the New Testament evidence to confirm the uniform teaching of the Baptist church with that of the first century. Early in the second century so much error had crept into the church that Montanus undertook a reform to restore Christianity to its former simplicity. He had a large following. Tertullian became a loyal Montanist. It was Tertullian who wrote concerning the mode of baptism of his time."

Rev. Geo. F. Green offered prayer. Rev. C. H. Ellis pronounced the benediction.

Miss Florence Lee of Methuen served very acceptably at the organ during the morning session. The congregational singing was inspiring.

The convention adjourned to the town hall for dinner.

At the close of the dinner hour Rev. A. T. Belknap conducted a party to Abbott Academy, Phillips Academy, Andover Theoligical Seminary and other points of interest.

Eleven churches have raised more money for all purposes than they did last year; 7 have increased their amount for beneficence, while one church has dropped entirely out of the benevolent column. Your committee wish to be fair in this report, and wish to remind the body that the exceptionally hard winter of 1903 and small attendance at the services account in a measure for the falling off in the financial statistics and it is the belief that in some cases where extra meetings were held for revival purposes, they were greatly interfered with, owing to the severe and stormy weather which prevailed after January 1. These unforeseen obstacles account for the decreased number of baptisms. We believe that an opportune time for revival work would be just after the harvests are gathered, or during the Easter time when joy fills the heart in anticipation of the new life.

This year our association reports four men studying for the ministry, as against one a year ago. We pray for our Lord's kingdom to come, which would appear to be a long way off, if the number of the new laborers who go forth to work in the vineyard is any criterion. We want more praying Hannahs to present their Samuels at the altar for God's service. The entering class at the Newton Theological Institution this year numbers 20. We hope and pray that a year hence the number may be increased to fifty.

The revival work, especially, seemed to be confined to Lowell, Lawrence and Methuen this year, which is evidenced by the fact that 183 baptisms out of the total number of 202 took place in the churches of the above named cities and town.

We are glad that there has been a disposition on the part of city pastors to help their brethren in the country churches, and we believe that such an exchange of pastors in special meetings would be beneficial to the country field, as it has proven to be in the city large town churches.

With deep gratitude to God for His mercies in the past, we look prayerfully to the future. By faith we expect to make fresh conquests for Christ in the year before us, so that the committee a year hence shall be enabled to make a red-letter report at the next annual meeting of the Merrimack River association. Respectfully submitted,

SILAS L. MORSE,
E. A. WHITTIER,
H. C. WILDER,
Committee on State of Religion.

Other speakers were Rev. Robert L. Webb of Haverhill, Mr. C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence, Rev. Edwin L. Snell of West Newton and Rev. Orville Coats of Lowell.

Rev. Asa Reed Dilts of Lowell said the closing prayer, and the convention adjourned to the town hall for supper, where 230 guests were served. Mr. Frederick Moore gave an organ recital previous to the evening session. A devotional service was led by Rev. C. C. Earle of Lawrence.

The next meeting will be with the Second church of Lawrence.

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ANOTHER VICTIM

EIGHTEENTH TO DIE FROM POISONED WHISKEY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The death of another victim of poisoned whiskey, Herman Sach, of 328 West 49th street, was followed yesterday by news of another man, who is in the last stages of the same curious illness that has now killed 18 persons, and which is generally attributed to the use of wood alcohol as an adulterant by saloon keepers. The name of the man whose death is momentarily expected is withheld by the police.

United States revenue agents, it is alleged, have discovered enough evidence to convince them that some one tampered with whiskey sold by Rudolph Fritsche in his saloon at 723 10th avenue, and mixed wood alcohol with other ingredients in barrels which had contained whiskey bought from wholesalers. This, it is alleged, was then passed out over the bar and sold to customers for little price.

WRESTLING NOTES

Charlie Jackson, the Campello wrestler, last night threw Louis Cote at the Boston theatre, Cote being too light for him.

The bout between Aleck Peterson, who is Jackson's partner, and Kid Egan of Fall River, developed an exciting contest. Egan stayed 15 minutes and then challenged Jackson to a match for any money. The latter said that he would be only too glad to make on Egan at any time or place.

Manager Tibbetts made an announcement to the effect that Jackson would meet Egan Friday afternoon, or anybody else in the wrestling world who wanted to earn $10 by staying 15 minutes. He said that Muggins will be Jackson's opponent this afternoon and Austin Gallery, the Centralville star, tonight.

GEORGE B. COBURN

Read Interesting Paper on Gen. Varnum

Because of the inclement weather the regular monthly meeting of the Lowell Historical society held in its rooms in Memorial building last evening met with a small attendance. Solon W. Stevens presided and Charles Cowley was elected secretary pro tem. George B. Coburn read a paper on the "Life and Services of Gen. James Varnum." He said in part:

"Gen. Varnum was born in 1748. His father, who had considerable local reputation, owned a large tract of land near the Merrimack river in what is now Dracut. James Varnum was more fortunate than his other brothers, receiving a liberal education in the best colleges in New England at the time. He went to Harvard, the Rhode Island college and Brown University, having a creditable standing at each. He graduated from Brown University when very young, and immediately began the practice of law. In 1769 he took a prominent part in the patriotic cause and led in the debates on the stirring questions of the day. He was admitted to the bar in 1771, at the age of 22, and immediately distinguished himself in this section of the country. He was married shortly after to a daughter of Mr. Childs, a prominent justice and a member of one of Rhode Island's best families. While living in the latter late Mr. Varnum entertained the French and American officers when the combined armies were occupying the state. He was made colonel of Rhode Island militia and in June, 1775, he participated in the battle of Bunker Hill. Washington afterwards, in recognition of his signal services for the cause, promoted him to a position on his staff. In 1778 he was prominent in the battle of Rhode Island. In March, 1779, he tendered his resignation to Gen. Washington after attaining the highest rank which could be achieved in the army. He entered civil life in Rhode Island and his services as a lawyer were in constant demand. In 1787 congress adopted the ordinance opening the Northwest territory and Gen. Varnum was appointed one of the judges to govern the district. He settled at Marietta, Ohio, in May, 1788, and his eloquence and wide discernment of affairs won him many friends. His health however, could not stand the strain and he gradually weakened. He was about to take a trip down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers to Cuba, and thence home, for the benefit of his weakened constitution but passed away before his hopes could be attained. He died in the spring of 1789 in the fortieth year of his age. Behind his remains walked twenty Indian chiefs and a large concourse of those who were under his jurisdiction. Gen. Varnum was one of the most deeply-read men of his time and he was a close student of the classics, Montesquieu, Shakespeare and others being his favorites."

CREATORE'S PRIMA DONNA.

One most interesting and instructive feature at the concert to be given by Creatore and his band at Huntington hall on Sunday night will be the singing of Mme. Barili, who is a gifted soprano of highest attainments. Her voice is of remarkably pure quality, the tone of which is very even throughout, of good lyric quality and thoroughly controlled throughout the intricacies of the brilliant Italian method. She has been the regular soloist of this organization during its long successful career, and has won her way to a favorite place in the hearts of all who have heard her sing.

JOHN B. RATIGAN

NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS IN THAYER'S DISTRICT.

WORCESTER, Oct. 13.—Former Alderman John B. Ratigan of Worcester was nominated as the democratic candidate for congress in the convention of the third district democratic convention yesterday afternoon. The nominating speech was made by congressman John R. Thayer.

To convention was called to order at 2.45 o'clock. Fifty-four delegates representing one city and 21 towns were present. The Hon. Charles Haggerty of Webster was chosen chairman and James F. McIlvern of Worcester was secretary.

Congressman Thayer put Mr. Ratigan's name in nomination and took the opportunity to thank the democrats all who had voted for him for the support given in the three previous campaigns.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Emulus Thomson commandery, U. O. G. C., held a largely attended meeting last evening, the occasion being the annual visit of the grand officers. Remarks were made by G. C., Will A. Newton; G. K. R., Walter G. Crowther; G. F., Arthur L. Gray; D. G. C., Hector Turnbull, and others. The remarks showed the order to be in a flourishing condition with all approved death claims paid. There was a large attendance from Washington commandery.

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BURNED TO DEATH

Woman Perished in Fire in New York

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SEVERAL PERSONS HAD THRILLING ESCAPES

Fire Started in Parlor of House

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—One woman was burned to death, a man said to be of local prominence leaped from a window and sustained injuries which will make him a cripple for life, and several other persons had thrilling escapes from death or injury in a fire on West 54th street today.

The fire started in the reception room and rear parlor of the house, which was used as a sleeping room by Mrs. Ferguson. A negro maid had just retired when she heard her mistress screaming. The maid ran to the lower floor to find Mrs. Ferguson, her night-clothes in flames running about the front of the house. Everywhere there were flames on the lower floor and Mrs. Ferguson was soon overcome and fell back into the flames.

In the meantime the occupants of the upper part of the house were aroused by the screams of the two women. Two young women succeeded in escaping to an adjoining house by smashing out the windows of their rooms and crawling across the narrow cornice on the building. The man, who later gave his name to the police as John Smith, in his desire to escape quickly from the building disregarded all warnings and leaped through one of the broken windows to the stone paved yard 30 feet below.

In his fall the man turned slightly and struck with terrific force on his knees. He was disabled and when found was taken to a hospital. There it was found that both knee caps were broken and the surgeons said that his injuries would cripple him for life. A well dressed man, who came along as preparations were being made to take the man to the hospital recognized the wounded man and spoke, but declined to give his name to a policeman.

"He is one of the prominent and wealthy men of New York City," he said, "But I won't tell you his name."

At the hospital the injured man when asked his name, said:

"Oh, call me John Smith."

He was booked under that name but an investigation is now being made in an attempt to learn his true name.

Mrs. Ferguson, who lost her life in the fire, came here from Baltimore. She was 35 years of age.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

GRAND REUNION

AND RECEPTION TO PASTOR OF SACRED HEART PARISH.

The third annual reunion of the Sacred Heart parish will be held in Huntington hall tomorrow evening and the occasion will be doubly important on account of the home coming of the pastor, Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., after a lengthy absence due to illness. He will be tendered a rousing reception by the societies and individual members of the parish.

He will be met at the northern depot at 8.10 o'clock and escorted to the hall. The societies that will turn out in parade to do him honor on this occasion are as follows: Divisions 2, 8, 11 and 28 A. O. H., Wolfe Tone Guards headed by the Irish Volunteer band. The officers of the societies in the parade are as follows: Wolfe Tone Guards, Captain Crimmins; Division 2, President Thomas J. Lynch; Division 11, John T. Hendricks; Division 8, Michael Ryan; Division 28, William McManus. Captain Hugh Rourke will as usual lead the band of which he is president and director.

The committee of arrangements in charge of the reunion has passed a vote of thanks to the various societies turning out in the parade tomorrow evening, and also to the Volunteer band, to Thomas J. Lynch and Messrs. McDermott, Rogers and O'Connell for the liberality in placing carriages at the service of the committee. The men of the parish not attached to any of these societies will turn out wearing white gloves. Mr. Michael Conroy will be marshal of this division.

The A. O. H. divisions are requested to meet in their hall at 7.15 p. m., while the Wolfe Tone Guards will meet at their quarters in Market street, at the same hour, all to turn out in full regalia.

The route of the parade is as follows: Form in Merrimack square in front of Hibernian hall, march through Central, to Middlesex to the northern depot, returning, march through Middlesex, Central and Merrimack streets to Huntington hall.

The Wolfe Tone Guards, headed by the band, will have the right of line and the Hibernian lodges will follow in the order of their number, the men of the parish bringing up the rear.

On arrival at the hall the exercises will be opened by Michael Rogers, chairman of the reception committee, who will introduce Dr. J. B. O'Connor. This gentleman will present an address of welcome to Rev. Fr. Reynolds after which the reverend gentleman is expected to make a short address. Thomas Farrell is general manager of the entire affair and Mr. Joseph T. Sullivan will be floor director at the sociable which will follow the introductory exercises and musical entertainment. In the afternoon an entertainment will be given for the children of the parish, at which the boys' choir will sing. The hall has been beautifully decorated and tables have been provided to cater to the needs of the party during the evening. The proceeds will go to the fund for maintaining the parochial schools. Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., has done a great deal to make the reunion a success and he has the united support of the parish and many outsiders in his efforts.

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ARMY OFFICERS

Says Government Cannot Recognize Unions

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 13—Brig.-Gen. William Crozier, chief of ordnance, before leaving Springfield yesterday afternoon after his annual inspection of the United States armory, discussed the government's attitude toward labor unions, with particular reference to the recent attempt of the Allied Metal Mechanics of America to induce the war department to restore the old rate of wages for piece work at the Springfield armory. "It is the best interest of the United States government not to recognize labor unions," said Gen. Crozier. "The government manufacturing plant is unlike private plants in that the employer. The government in this case pays its profit from the workers, whereas in private plants both employer and employee receive their share of the profits, and each is against the pelting against the other to secure a larger share. There is an incentive for the employe of the government to look for more wages, but there is no incentive for the present government to compete for a share of profits, and in such a case the argument is one lost in favor of the employer.

"We are not hostile to labor unions, the government, to protect itself, is not to make them. The government [illegible] a fixed rule on which to compute the pay at the current rate of wages [illegible] in the community in which they work, and without the necessity of belonging to labor unions they derive the benefit of the higher rate of wages, in occupations similar to those in which they may be engaged, which may be the result of union agitation."

HIS WIFE'S RUSE

How Cyrille Constantineau Was Fooled

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—Cyrille Constantineau, who was in the city yesterday in attendance at the bankruptcy court, where his case was called, tells the interesting story of how his wife, Madame Constantineau, fooled him in Quebec last summer in securing the custody of a minor child.

After the couple separated she took the children to their grandparents' home in St. Johnsbury, Vt., and he kidnapped them. Judge Fuller heard the couple's troubles in his court in this state and he was disposed to give the children into the mother's custody. But he could do nothing while the children were out of his jurisdiction. One of the children was given to Mrs. Constantineau. The other went to Quebec with the father and was thereafter in the summer.

Madame Constantineau's motherly heart yearned for the little fellow and she decided to go and get him. She went to Quebec, according to Constantineau's story, and stayed with him for two or three days, and, as he supposed, fixed up all their differences. He left his home one morning to go to his work and when he returned the wife and child were gone.

The children are now at St. Johnsbury and Constantineau has removed to Lowell, where he is in the employ of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. He hopes to get the children again sometime, but he doesn't know when, as he realizes that his wife ran give him the whole pack of cards and beat him out as a detective.

SANTILLO HELD

Italian is Suspected of Murder

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 13.—Francisco Santillo, the Italian, who is believed to have killed Antonio Longobardi during a quarrel over a girl last night, was caught in the outskirts of this city, early today as the result of an order to the patrolmen to stop and question all pedestrians who seemed to have no fixed purpose in walking about before daylight. Many foreigners were stopped and sent to police headquarters, as suspicious persons, and finally two officers sent in Santillo, who had been unable to explain his wanderings about the residential district. This man was recognized as the one seen with Longobardi just before the quarrel. An autopsy on the body of the victim shows that he was stabbed once with a sharp weapon, the wound going into the muscles of the heart and probably penetrating that organ.

PERSONALS

A musical program entertained the guests during the reception, those participating being Mr. Guy Johnson, Master Alfred Foley, Mrs. J. A. Foley; Miss Ida Morgadis.

Mrs. E. L. [illegible] of Saco, Me., is visiting Mrs. [illegible] Sturtevant of Burtt street.

Mr. James M[illegible], of Arctic Centre, R. I., formerly of this city, has been the guest of his father-in-law, Mrs. Azilda Tilsque, and of other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Eugene [illegible] of Rosldale is spending a few weeks with her sisters the Misses Mellen of Wamesit street.

Among the Lowell people who left for California on the 10th were Mr. and Mrs. Don J. [illegible] and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Philbrick Clark.

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

There was a pink supper and entertainment yesterday afternoon and evening in the vestry of the First Unitarian church. The dinner and means committee of the Women's Alliance were the managers and the affair was a great big success. Home-cooked food was on sale in the afternoon and there was a supper at 6.30 that would tempt an epicure. After supper there was fun galore and among the many excellent numbers on the program were "readings" by Miss Amy Baker of New York. Mr. C. S. Hylan is chairman of the ways and means committee and the members of the committee are: Mrs. George L. Bowers, Mrs. C. W. Wilder, Mrs. E. H. Seribner, Mrs. F. E. Shaw, Mrs. Dana Burtett, Mrs. Henry Nevins, Mrs. O. B. Bamlett, Mrs. Arthur Moore, Mrs. W. E. Bartlett and Miss Grace Hylan.

A. H. CLUER, THE NEWLY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE MIDDLESEX NORTH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

OFFICIAL NEWS IS NOT AVAILABLE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—3.20 a. m. No official news of the result of today's battle south of Mukden is available at this hour. General Kuropatkin doubtless has communicated his regular report to Emperor Nicholas at Tsarkoe Selo, but the despatch was not sent back to the general staff tonight.

So the latest word from Russian sources is contained in the Associated Press despatch from Mukden. As is natural the absence of official news is pessimistically interpreted in many quarters; but the general staff, though reflect, counsels patience, pointing out that the offensive movement was planned on a large scale and has not yet reached a stage where a decisive result could have been attained.

The frontal attack on the Yentai mines developed a desperate battle, in which probably 100,000 men are engaged but though the despatches so far deal almost exclusively with this feature of the battle, it is pointed out that there is a much wider field involved.

A flight on the Russian left flank has not yet developed, and possibly here General Kuropatkin intends to deliver his main blow. What force is pushing forward in this direction behind the screen containing the column at Shantintaidze is unknown, but the appearance tonight of a Russian column at Tzymuchen, 30 miles southeast of Mukden, striking at Field Marshal Oyama's communication with the Yalu, and the knowledge that another column in already across the Taitse river gives evidence of the wide nature of the turning movement.

Apprehension is caused by the Tokio despatch saying that Field Marshal Oyama reports that he is gaining ground and has cut off a Russian column below the Taitse river. It is only natural, after the repeated reverses already suffered, that the Russians fully realize how much General Kuropatkin has staked upon the assumption of the offensive.

"The battle now in progress undoubtedly will outweigh in importance the hard fighting at Liao Yang. For Kuropatkin, victory, partial or complete is absolutely necessary. Defeat would certainly spell ruin for his military reputation and probably prove a disaster of the first magnitude to the Russian army. If the Japanese should roll up Kuropatkin's advance now, all hope of an aggressive Russian success in this campaign or of relief of Port Arthur would be ended probably for this year; but Russian success now means a winter campaign and immensely enhanced prestige, not only for Kuropatkin personally, but for the Russian arms in Manchuria, in the eyes of the Chinese, which is an important factor in the present situation. The effect also of defeat upon the gallant garrison of Port Arthur after hopes of relief had been held out, would be most disastrous. For all these reasons Kuropatkin's friends are convinced that the offensive was taken with open eyes and with a full appreciation of its difficulty and a firm belief that victory would be achieved.

On the other hand, some of his enemies are unkind enough to intimate that Gen. Kuropatkin has rashly risked his army knowing that victory now will ensure his selection as commander in chief of both the Manchurian armies.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE COPY OF MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS OF THE RUSSIAN WESTERN ARMY, Mukden, Oct. 11 (via Pekin 12) Russian dragoons have captured a copy of a message from the emperor of Japan to his troops in which the mikado says he is still awaiting the decisive defeat of the Russians. It is apparent from this intelligence that the Japanese are equally preparing for important events. There have been daily engagements between the advancing guards along the entire line of thirty miles.

The Japanese appear to be apprehensive of a cutting off movement, owing to the fact that the Russian cavalry is south of the Taitse river, and also owing to the presence of Russian forces yesterday in the old positions and fortifications at Bensihu. They have, therefore, fallen back.

The strong position at the Yentai coal mines which has been the cause of apprehension, for the Russians was vacated by the Japanese, October 9, though they are throwing up earthworks toward the west, where the superiority of the Russian cavalry will require superior defenses.

It is believed that the Japanese have about 100 guns at the railway bridge across the Taitse river, rendering hazardous a Russian attack there.

The preliminary line of battle, after the two armies have reinforced and refortified for a month past, as determined by the Japanese stronghold of the railway bridge and the Liao Yang defenses, today runs southeast to northwest from the hills opposite Bensihu to Yentai and thence to Tousanpu, ten miles west of the railway, where for three days the battle line has been wavering.

The correspondent of the Associated Press witnessed the Russians take and retake Tousanpu and saw the Japanese burning their bridge over the Shakho river on their last retirement of October 9. The Japanese were reinforced and renewed the attack October 10 with two divisions and two guns, forcing the line back on the Russian right without, however, achieving any important result.

The Japanese cannonading yesterday was for the purpose of disclosing the Russian position, but it was apparently without result except as showing that the Japanese are disposed freely to make battle within 10 miles of the railway.

The heaviness and regularity of the cannonade since five o'clock this morning in the foothills and west of the railway indicate that greater fighting is in progress.

AUGUSTUS ST. GAUDENS, THE FAMOUS SCULPTOR.

Letter to E. M. GARDNER, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir: You know what paint is for, how it does it, how it fails, what paint does and what paint don't. It's your business to know; of course you know these.

There are some details, which, of course, you can't be expected to know. For instance, the next-best paints are only three-quarters as good. That's strange, isn't it? Strange. There are a dozen of them perhaps; you don't know them all by name. No matter, strange as that; you don't know them all by name. No matter, one is enough. The only one you have real occasion to know is Devoe.

The reason? It is that the others leave the whole business to us so. We make it as good as we can; others make it as good as they have to. Question? Don't complain. Yours truly,

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P. S.—The Adams Hardware and Paint Co. sell our paint.

CHURCHES NEXT

Will be Inspected by State Police

Churches will be the next subject of inspection by the state police, under the new statutes. They come under the same law as do theatres and halls having a capacity of 400 or over, and the principal requirements which will be made the objective point in the inspection is a proper system of ventilation and also sufficient and properly placed exits in case of fire. Some of the churches, and among them the most modern in the city, are hardly built with a view to safe egress in case of a panic. Another thing that seems to be a strangely concurrent thing in the building of churches is to have the furnaces directly under the main entrance. Hence, with a fire starting from the furnaces all means of egress are immediately cut off.

KILLED CELLMATE

TERRIBLE AFFAIR IN ST. LOUIS JAIL.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 12—Frances Small, 40 years old, was found dead today in a cell at the Chestnut street police station. In the same cell was Goldie Bell, 25 years old, who admits that they fought and she hit the woman in the ear. The cause of death has not been determined. The Small woman had been locked up on a charge of disorderly conduct. The Bell woman was in for disturbing the peace.

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In the assortment you will find a goodly number of outsize Gowns, Skirts and Drawers.

Also Children's Drawers, umbrella shape and Hamburg trimmed, only **19c each.**

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EAST SECTION—LEFT AISLE.

POLITICAL FIELD

More Republican Mayoralty Possibilities Discussed

McKinley's Friends Would Like to Have Him Run — Other Newsy Political Notes

Hon. Jas. McKinely dropped into the councillor convention yesterday morning and was immediately surrounded by hand-shaking friends for he has lost none of his popularity though defeated. He wasn't in the hall three minutes when some one whispered that he would make a good candidate for mayor and in a short time several little groups were discussing the likelihood of the senator stepping into the mayoralty field and pulling off the nomination. It is quite certain now that there will be a third candidate in the field, though his name will probably not be launched until after the state election. Frank E. Dunbar is mentioned as a mayoralty possibility for he has two years yet before he can be a candidate for congress and many believe he could not employ those two years more profitably than by running for mayor. The ultimate complexion of the municipal republican ticket cannot be judged accurately at present for the state election may change the entire appearance of things.

Meanwhile Messrs. Miskella and Casey have the entire democratic field to themselves and the winner will have the support of the loser and his friends. Each is holding well attended meetings at his headquarters and no mud is being thrown. Both are most desirable candidates and either can be elected if nominated.

Charles S. Copeland is prominently mentioned as a candidate for alderman from ward three on the republican ticket. Somewhere we have have heard of some other republicans from the same ward who would like the nomination. Fortunately the nominations are made by the public at large and one ward may have all the nominees if they can get the votes.

Michael J. Mahoney's chances for the senate grow brighter as the day of election approaches and the Cheneyites are worrying mightily these days. Mr. Mahoney will unite the democracy for him as it has not been united since Senator McKinley went before the voters, while he also commands a large republican following which will vote for him in preference to Mr. Cheney. Mr. Mahoney exhibited his fearlessness and honesty in many a hard fought baseball contest long before he ever entertained the idea of going into politics and that honesty and fearlessness have characterized all of his political acts and he stands before the public with an unblemished reputation.

Unless the candidates give up for the uniforms of the campaign clubs some one is due to get a "trimming" and this may mean either the candidate who refuses to give up or the costumer who furnished the uniforms.

It has been figured out that ward nine has three candidates for the legislature this year. William E. Westall and Timothy S. Murphy, who are running in the 27th district and Cecil L. Adams, who is running in the 26th district.

Luke Walsh, the well known plasterer, employed by his brother, James P. Walsh is a democratic candidate for the common council in ward one. Mr. Walsh is widely known and highly esteemed and he will poll a big vote. James P. Barry, the present democratic councilman from that ward, will also be a candidate.

Ralph Cullinan, one of the best known young men in ward four, is a candidate for the common council in that ward and ex-Councilman Michael J. Markham will manage his campaign. Mr. Cullinan has a host of friends in the ward and will make a most formidable candidate. His partner, Mr. Markham, knows the game from A to Z and will give him a course of instruction prior to the caucuses.

For a slick political move that of A. W. Willis of Melrose in introducing John E. Slayton of Melrose to the convention as the candidate for councillor next year was about the cleverest heard of in this vicinity this year at least. Mr. Watson of this city expected the renomination without opposition and hence did not put any work into the caucuses as a result of which pledged delegates were elected only in Lowell while the remainder of the district went unpledged and the general understanding was that Watson was the man without opposition. About a week ago Mr. Watson and his friends learned to their dismay that Chester Williams had entered the fight against him and had obtained the promises of all the delegates in his immediate vicinity. Mr. Williams put the bluff that he was in the contest for keeps and the Watson men were forced to hustle through the district to see the unpledged delegates and get their assurances of support. When they gathered at the convention yesterday morning Mr. Williams had headquarters even as did Mr. Watson and he met his delegates and even told some of them that he expected to carry the convention. After all the delegates had arrived it was plain to be seen that while Williams had some votes, Watson had the contest won. Then some of Watson's friends sought the Williams delegates with a view to having them pull out their candidate and thus make the nomination of Mr. Watson unanimous but the Williams delegates declined to do this stating that while they did not expect to win this year they were pushing their candidate so as to put him in line for next year and that by making a showing this year he would be the logical candidate to succeed Mr. Watson.

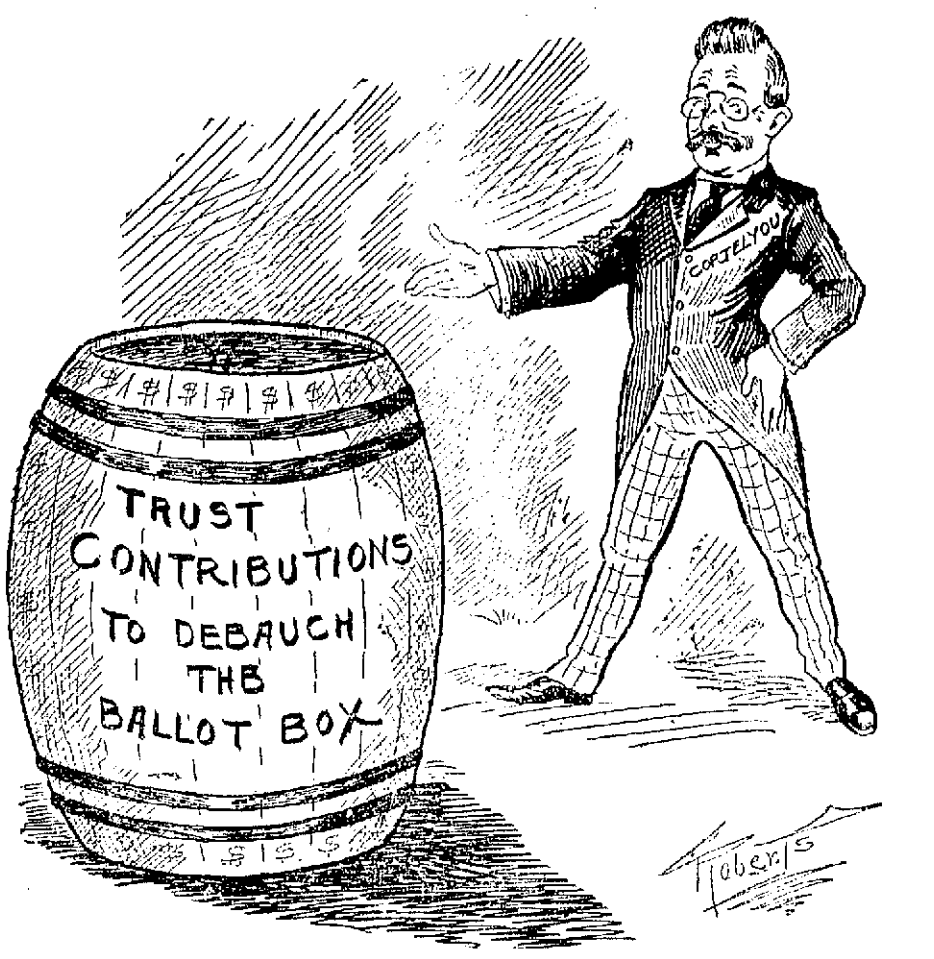
When A. W. Willis of Melrose heard this he immediately called a meeting of the Melrose delegation and for 10 minutes they had a whispered conference in one corner of the hall much to the worriment of Charlie Bartwell and little Fred Roper who did their best to "butt in" without success. No one knew what the conference was about until after both Watson and Williams had been placed in nomination and then Mr. Willis arose and assuming a dramatic attitude under the chairman's desk began a speech which convinced everyone in the hall that he was about to place a third candidate in the field. He told how loyally the city of Melrose had stood by the republican candidates for years past without having a councillor candidate of its own until this year it can come into the convention with a man of its choice John E. Slayton. He then proceeded to eulogize Mr. Slayton and went along until he came to the point where they all expected him to say: "And I place in nomination etc.," when he suddenly and gracefully turned away onto the subject of harmony and the feasibility of allowing Mr. Watson to serve out the terms with Gov. Bates and concluded by stating for that reason the Melrose delegates had decided to withhold Mr. Slayton's name until Mr. Watson had had his third term and had instructed him to second the nomination of Mr. Watson.

The move took the Watson delegates off their feet and knocked the best laid schemes of Mr. Williams and his friends higher than the proverbial kite, for it gave Mr. Slayton certainly as good and to the thinking of many, a better standing for next year than Mr. Williams.

If the weather permits, the local republicans will have a flag party tonight. A large banner bearing the pictures of Roosevelt and Fairbanks, and Congressman Ames and the name of Edwards Cheney will be thrown to the winds from the tops of the buildings at the corner of Merrimack and Central streets. As there are only two sides to the banner it was necessary to omit the picture of Chairman Hill of the republican city committee and the name of the representative candidates. It was at first thought to let space on the banner, as one would sell lots on the common on July 4, but the representatives of the head of the ticket preempted most of the space and hence the other candidates are not on.

The Citizen says this morning: "The Blue Bells finally decided last night to turn out tonight," while immediately under it is the statement: "The Blue Bells will not parade tonight according to Sec. Cook's order." When in doubt play both ends. It would appear that there is internal dissension among the Blue Bells. The name of the secretary, together with his statement, would suggest an absence of "dough."

After the flag raising the Lincoln club will pull off a rally in Jackson hall. Frank E. Dunbar will preside, and Congressman Ames, Edwards Cheney and the representative candidates will speak.



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MINSTREL FRONT

WILL BE TRIED BY THE C. Y. M. L.

At the meeting of the dance committee held at the rooms last night it was voted to secure the services of Mr. Arthur Mills as musical director for the coming minstrel entertainment which is to be given at the dance to be conducted by the organization at a future date.

Mr. Mills met the members after adjournment and they immediately filled out a part of the work to be done in order that the coming event will be successful. Mr. Mills has been remarkably successful in putting on amateur minstrel entertainments.

It was voted to have a lemonade and tonic table on the night of the dance. Nothing more of importance was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Mongrain were married Oct. 11, 1859 at Ware. They came to Lowell 15 years ago, and have since resided here. They have four children, Mrs. Alma M., and Joseph, Leo and Orcine Mongrain, all of whom reside here and were present at the anniversary fete. Among the members of the immediate family present were also Mr. R. C. Mongrain, a brother of Mr. Mongrain, and Mr. J. A. Foley and Mrs. Antoine Dragon, brother and sister of Mrs. Mongrain.

COULDN'T SCORE

Textiles and Haverhill High Play Tie Game

The Lowell Textile school football team opened its season yesterday at the Fair Grounds by playing a tie game with the strong Haverhill High school team, neither side scoring in the time allotted. Ten-minute halves were played and the short time operated against the Textile team for the Lowell boys had the better of the argument and in the second half kept the pigskin in the enemy's territory and were about to get behind the goal posts when the timer's whistle blew. A fumble prevented a touchdown by Lowell while Haverhill was a long way from making one. Being the first game one can hardly pass fair judgment on the work of the team. But the Textile boys appear to be a likely looking lot and the fans may yet be rooting hard for them. Captain Currier had his team well under control and he worked the weak spots in the opposing team to good advantage. The Haverhill team made a couple of snappy sprints but they couldn't keep the steam up for any length and the regulation halves would have seen them badly beaten for the Textile boys finished as fresh as they started.

The line-up:

TEXTILE		HAVERHILL
Midwood re	le	Livelle
Prior rt	lt	Short
Julia rg	lg	Lynch
Moore c	c	Bachelder
Heinze lg	rg	Foley
Brookhouse lt	rt	Owens
Donnellon le	re	Dore
Currier qb	qb	Follinsby
Kent rhb	lhb	Curtis
Church lhb	rhb	Fenton
McDonald fb	fb	Morgan

Summary: Score—Textile 0, Haverhill 0. Referee—Hill of Haverhill. Umpire—Cronin of Lowell. Linesmen—Povey and Batchelder. Time—10-minute halves.

HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULE.

Manager Wilder of the High School football team announces the following revised schedule:

Oct. 15—Mechanics Art of Boston at Lowell.
Oct. 19—Lowell High at Haverhill.
Oct. 22—Lowell High at Lawrence.
Oct. 25—Lowell High at Waltham.
Oct. 29—Leominster High at Lowell.
Nov. 5—Medford High at Lowell.
Nov. 9—Haverhill High at Lowell.
Nov. 16—Lowell High at Nashua.
Nov. 19—Lawrence High at Lowell.
Nov. 24—Woburn High at Lowell.

CYCLE NEWS

An unheralded visitor to the land of his birth is "Jo" Pennell, who is an artist by vocation and a cyclist by avocation. He has been in St. Louis, where an artists' convention was in session.

During the past quarter of a century Pennell has been a cyclist of the most enthusiastic type. Old timers will remember him as a particularly elongated rider of an extremely high bicycle, who disappeared from view upon taking up his residence in England, where he became famous as a pen and ink artist. Of late years he has turned his attention to motor cycles, as many British makers know to their sorrow. He was for a long time the foreign representative of the L. A. W.

"One feature of the two-speed gear that is apt to be lost sight of," writes a doctor, "is that it puts cycling within the reach of persons who, on account of slight weakness of the heart, have had to give it up. Now, the danger of cycling to any one whose heart is weak lies, not in long continued exertion, nor in fatigue, so much as in the sudden spurts and strains necessary to get up a short, steep hill or to buffet against a wind up a less steep incline. With a variable gear which may be dropped to, say 56, this is largely eliminated, and if my colleagues in the profession knew more about two-speed gears they would be able to permit many patients whom they have previously had to forbid to cycle to return to the wheel."

That cycle bearing balls are made of good stuff was shown by an incident which recently came to light. The engineer of an Eastern railroad noticed something wrong with one of the wheels of his locomotive. On making a careful examination he found that the ball from a cycle bearing had become fixed in the outer surface of the wheel. So firmly was it embedded that it could not be extracted, and it was found necessary to hammer it right into the metal.

Rat-trap pedals make the feet peculiarly susceptible to cold. Rubber blocks on the pedals will be found a big improvement, while to absolutely banish the cold one need only wear heavy woollen stockings with stout shoes that are pretty loose.

WOMEN GOLFERS

CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST NARROWING DOWN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 13.—Unfavorable weather conditions prevailed yesterday for the second day's play in the women's golf championship of the United States on the links of the Merion Cricket club at Haverford. As a result of the day's play, the championship now lies between New York, Philadelphia and Boston, New York has Miss Louise Vanderhoef, Mrs. E. S. Sanford and Miss Georgianna Bishop. Philadelphia's hopes lie in Miss Frances C. Griscom and Miss E. N. Ayres, while the Boston representatives are Miss Pauline Mackay, Miss Margaret Curtis and Miss K. C. Harley.

Miss Griscom was responsible for the defeat of Miss M. Higgins of Chicago. She took the lead at the first hole and held it throughout, winning by two up and one to play.

Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Huntington Valley was defeated by Mrs. Sanford in the only extra hole match of the day.

Miss L. Vanderhoef squared her match with Miss J. A. Carpenter of Westfield at the fourteenth hole and won out by two up.

Miss MacKay and Miss Louisa A. Wells of Brookline, were all square at the turn but Miss MacKay won by 3 to play.

The surprise of the day was the defeat of Miss F. C. Osgood of Brookline by Miss Harley. Miss Harley went out in a forty-six and after being dormie seven, won by six up and 4 to play.

PRESS GOLFERS

TO PLAY FOR A FINE SILVER CUP.

BOSTON, N. O., 13.—A handsome silver cup valued at $50, has been presented by President John I. Taylor of the Boston American, for the coming match between newspaper golfers of New England and New York, which will take place next Monday at the Wollaston Golf Club.

It is expected that the victors will select a team of 12, many of whom will compete in the inter-collegiate tournament which begins on Tuesday at Myopia.

In connection with the match with New York the New England Press Golf Club will hold an all day medal contest at Wollaston for newspaper men to which players connected with the press are invited to enter.

CLASS OF '05

ELECTED OFFICERS AT HIGH SCHOOL.

The class of 1905 of the Lowell High school has elected the following officers:

President, Sidney B. Whipple; 1st vice-president, Miss Ethel Waring; 2d vice-president, Miss Alice M. Littlefield; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Spalding; treasurer, Victor Gelineau.

Mr. Whipple is editor-in-chief of the High School Review, is major of the regiment, and is editor of the Pil Annual, the publication of the school fraternity. Miss Waring is captain of Company A of the First Battalion of the Girls' regiment and is prominent in school affairs. Miss Littlefield is one of the literary editors of the Review, is captain of Company A, second battalion of the Girls' regiment, and is an active member of the Frederic T. Greenhalge Debating society. Miss Spalding is exchange editor of the Review, Captain of Company C of the First battalion of the Girls' regiment, and is a member of the 'Varsity girls' basket ball team. Mr. Gelineau is president of the Athletic association, a member of the football team, and one of the track team athletes.

President Whipple has appointed the following to serve on the pin and ring committee; Schuyler R. Waller, chairman; Miss Ethel Waring, Miss Elizabeth Spalding, G. Walter Clark, and Albert Nickerson.

The class colors are red and gray.

CHURCH SOCIABLE

AT HIGH STREET CHURCH LAST EVENING.

There was a large attendance at the sociable held in the vestry of the High Street church last evening.

After a supper served by the ladies of the church, under the supervision of Mrs. A. D. Kennedy, the evening was given over to an informal relation of vacation experiences, humorous and otherwise, by various members of the society present. Hon. George A. Marden presided as toastmaster, and there was singing by Mrs. George H. Spalding and Mr. Herbert Whipple, accompanied by Mrs. E. G. Dumas on the piano. The ladies of the church had decorated the vestry very handsomely with flowers and boughs of autumn leaves.

Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quion of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his ordinary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure, 25c at F. H. Goodale's drug store, 217 Central street.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18.
THURSDAY, OCT. 20.
FRIDAY, OCT. 21.

All possible effort will be made to accommodate those who apply, it is urged that application be made as soon as possible in order to insure admission to the classes.

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LOSS IS $200,000

St. Gaudens Lost Priceless Forks

CORNISH, N. H., Oct. 13.—The damage in Tuesday's fire at sculptor St. Gaudens' studio will probably be more than $200,000, with insurance upon the buildings and contents of something like $50,000. There were many things destroyed which were almost priceless and cannot be replaced.

Nearly all of Mr. St. Gaudens' drawings, carbon reprints, etchings and paintings, representing the artistic work and conception of years, were in the studio and were burned, with the clay models of the Lincoln and Parnell statues, bas reliefs of noted personages medallions, plaster casts and work in all stages of progress.

In the studio a death mask of the late William C. Whitney of New York was destroyed. It cannot be replaced. The model of the Abraham Lincoln statue, which is to be set up on the steps of a library building in Chicago, was burned, only the head and hands being saved.

The legs were destroyed and these will be extremely difficult to reproduce, because the best model of the long and lank Lincoln, Amos Bixby of this town, is dead. The enlargement of the Marcus Daly statue, to be set up in Butte, Mont., was destroyed, but a small working model was saved and another can be made from it.

Only a few portfolios of photographs and etchings of the Parnell statue were saved, the enlargement and the working model being lost. This will be sad news for John E. Redmond and his Irish compatriots, for it was only a short time ago that this leader was here and inspected the model, and noted with satisfaction the progress of the work.

The work will now have to be all done over again and this will mean a delay of two years in setting up the statue and monument in the city of Dublin.

Miss Grimes, an artist, who has been at work in the studio for some time, saved some celebrated bas reliefs and medallions.

A small bust of Mr. St. Gaudens' father, said to have been done by the sculptor when only 12 years old, was saved. A statue of the late Phillips Brooks, which is nearly ready to be put in bronze ,was in the new studio and was not burned, and a small statue of the novelist, Robert Louis Stevenson, was among those saved from the flames.

Fortunately the wind did not blow at the time of the fire, or the house and the new studio would have been in great danger from flying sparks. A ditch was dug in the forest below the burned buildings so that the fire would not spread in that direction.

Mr. St. Gaudens went to meet the commission on the Puritan statue, which is to be set up for the New England society of Philadelphia, and had stopped in New York on account of the state of his health.

BASKET BALL

The New Bedford Herald has the following:

Local basketball enthusiasts are wondering what has become of "Mattie" Hickey and his basketball team, which he promised would be located in this city this season. Hickey asked for and received a franchise for Fall River but he apparently has done nothing in the matter since and was not present at the last league meeting. The league officials have communicated with Manager McDermott of the local baseball team and have asked him to take the franchise. Mr. McDermott will look into the matter and ascertain the prospects before giving the officials a definite answer.

Considerable interest was awakened in the game by the announcement that Fall River would be represented in the league and there are many who would like to see a team here this winter, especially as New Bedford is to have one, managed by the doughty "Con" Murphy.

SWALLOWED A PIN

BOSTON GIRL WAS NEARLY KILLED.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 13.—Miss Katherina Haffenreffer of Boston, sister of Rudolph F. Haffenreffer of this city, is recovering from very serious injuries resulting from the swallowing of a pin last Tuesday.

In company with Mrs. Haffenreffer, she had been bathing in the river at the family summer place in Portsmouth. While dressing she held a pin with an enlarged white head in her mouth, and the pin slipped down into her throat. In her mother's automobile she was hurried to this city and arrangements made for removing the pin. She was take into Dr. Francis A. Baker's office, and an X-ray machine used to locate the pin. Dr. R. J. Thompson, G. L. Richards, O. H. Jackson and Baker were engaged in the operation.

The pin was located but the first attempt to remove it failed, the pin being broken, and both sections left in the throat. A second attempt was successful.

Dr. F. G. Gulilland has gone to Maine after his game. He will be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Mongrain of 11 Wachusett street observed the silver anniversary of their wedding by a delightful family fete at their home, Tuesday night.

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DANCING—Mrs. E. A. Wells will receive pupils in dancing and deportment at New Academy, 202 Merrimack street, Mechanics Bank building, commencing Oct. 3, 1904. Classes: Beginners, Mon. and Thurs. evenings, 8 to 10; advanced, Wed. evenings, 8 to 10; reception and German, Thursdays, 8 to 12 p. m.; High school, Friday p. m., 4 to 6; children, Saturday p. m., 2 to 4; private classes accommodated; private lessons by appointment.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.45	6.50	5.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.39	7.30	7.54	8.59
a6.45	7.53	8.23	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.57
e7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
a7.51	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.48	8.55	a10.17	11.34
a7.52	10.05	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.46	12.00	12.55
9.22	10.20	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	1.15	1.52
e11.43	12.25	2.00	3.01
a12.14	1.00	e3.00	3.37
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
e1.50	2.39	a3.47	5.00
e3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
e4.02	4.45	e5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.38	6.24
e5.22	6.15	a5.47	6.34
a5.44	7.00	6.14	7.50
e6.12	6.55	e7.30	8.05
a6.28	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.36	10.30	11.34
		11.20	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
a7.30	8.36	9.00	10.09
8.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
8.45	9.49	e11.30	12.07
a9.30	10.15	1.00	1.37
a3.25	4.30	5.00	5.59
a5.29	6.30	e7.30	8.05
a8.12	6.55	e8.30	9.08
e7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	7.50	7.30	8.21
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.27	2.15	3.20
12.45	1.53	3.00	4.30
2.30	3.34	4.50	5.49
3.10	4.05	6.04	7.05
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.47
5.05	6.40	8.30	10.05
6.15	7.10	b11.15	12.13
7.00	8.05		
9.15	10.20		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.26	8.00	8.18
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.52	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.54	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.44		

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Order book for Middlesex orchestra at McMannon's, florist, on Prescott street.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan Bldg. Telephone.

OLD-FASHIONED SUPPER.

An old-fashioned supper was the attraction at the vestry of the Unitarian church last evening. The supper was served at 6.30 and was enjoyed by a large number of the parishioners. During the evening Miss Annie Baker entertained with several well-rendered readings. Mrs. G. S. Hylan, chairman of the committee on ways and means, of the Woman's Alliance, was in charge of last night's event.

LAUGHS AT THE CASTO.

Manager Al Haynes deserves special commendation for the excellent program which he is presenting at the Casto theatre this week. The merry, musical farce comedy "A Trip to New York," heads the bill and it is headed by a superb company which includes Mr. Haynes in a congenial role and also Miss Julia Redmond. The remainder of the program is composed of all comedy vaudeville acts, and pleases all. Reserved seats, which are 10 cents extra, can be ordered by telephone.

FRANCIS A. CAMPBELL

NOMINATED FOR CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—Francis A. Campbell of ward 12 was nominated for clerk of the superior civil court by the Suffolk county democratic convention in Faneuil hall last evening, by the following vote:

Whole number of votes cast	496
Necessary for choice	249
Francis A. Campbell	251
Francis P. Ewing	141
Charles H. Slattery	65
Joseph J. Murley	35
Blank	1

The convention was nearly an hour late in coming to order, owing to the delay in the arrival of the delegates.

HENRY B. LITTLE

TAKES SCHAEFFER'S PLACE ON STATE TICKET.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—It was announced at the headquarters of the democratic state committee last evening that Henry B. Little of Newburyport had been chosen for the position of secretary of state on the democratic ticket, to take the place of Henry T. Schaeffer.

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CITY OF LOWELL WAS NOT IN IT

Failed to Get Near Prize Winners

NASHUA, Oct. 13.—The red shirt brigade of firemen had a decidedly cold and unpleasant day yesterday for their muster in this city. Despite the cold, however, the visiting companies from Wilton, Pepperell, Lowell, Amesbury, Manchester, Peabody, Lawrence and Waltham showed up with full complements of men and after their work of the day had been successfully accomplished went home again with full ranks.

Notwithstanding the weather conditions the muster has been a success in every sense of the word, not a fireman making a complaint because of the cold, a failure to find means to keep full of warmth and good spirits.

During the early part of the forenoon crowds gathered on Railroad square to witness the jumping from high buildings and landing in life nets which had been advertised. This feature was more humorous than educational; more laughable than thrilling. First from the veranda of the Laton house a jump was made into the net held by a score of men. This was not very wonderful, but served to whet the appetite of the crowds for the looked-for jump from the top of the Whiting building.

After the net had been placed with considerable fuss a dummy figure was thrown from the top of the building, but to make the matter all the more ridiculous the figure did not reach the net but caught on the electric light wires where it hung until released by means of a pole.

The parade started at shortly before 11 o'clock and was a very creditable exhibition of the tubs entered. Protection of Amesbury alone had not arrived when the playout began.

The order was as follows:

Platoon of police, under the command of Sergt. Mark E. Watson.
Chief Marshal J. W. Conner.

FIRST DIVISION.

Chief of Staff James H. Hunt
Aids—Pearl Blanchard, Arthur St. Onge, Arthur F. Cummings, Charles Reynolds, Augustus Barque, W. H. Anderson.
First infantry band, A. H. Drumm, leader.
Chief Whitney's horse and wagon.
Nashua fire department in the following order.
Steamer 1 company, Frank M. Kelley, foreman.
Steamer 2 company, R. B. Manchester, foreman.
Steamer 3 company, Levi Smith, foreman.
Steamer 4 company, Charles Sanders, foreman.
Chemical company, W. A. Fuller, foreman.
Truck 1 company, A. H. Streeter, Truck 2 company, foreman, 35 men.

SECOND DIVISION.

Chief of Staff George Tupper.
Aids—Harry Wilson, Harold Lewis, Eugene Dunckleo, William Dion, Arthur Larouque.
Granite State drum corps.
Carmine of Wilton, John Stanton, foreman.
Fire apparatus in order of companies above named.
Unions of Pepperell, Frank Johnson, foreman, 40 men.
City of Lowell, C. A. Gilman, foreman, 30 men.
Manchester fife and drum corps.
Uncle Sam's of Manchester, John Stone, foreman, 36 men.
Warrens of Pepperell, L. E. Robbins foreman, 36 men.
Washington of Peabody, George Burnham foreman, 75 men.
General Stark fife and drum corps.
Germania of Manchester, H. A. Morrill foreman, 45 men.
Lawrence Veteran fife and drum corps.
City of Lawrence, G. W. Kingston foreman, 35 men.
Waltham Vets fife and drum corps.
Watch City of Waltham, S. F. Perkins foreman, 40 men.
Thomas W. Lane of Manchester, S. W. Couch foreman, 30 men.

The parade moved over the following route: Main street to Concord street, countermarch around the monument to Main street, Main to Pearl, to Palm, to Ledge, to Hollis, to Main, via Main to Temple street.

The members of the Nashua fire department left the parade proper at Ledge street and returned to the Central fire station.

Th visiting firemen halted on Ledge street and were entertained for half an hour at the Labine block.

The play out began at 1.30 o'clock under the direction of the following officials: Judges Charles B. Hooper of Peabody, E. H. Wason, Lotie I. Minard and E. V. Putnam of Nashua, Edward Finnerty of Milford, A. W. Gilnes of Manchester; starter and timekeeper, W. A. Barnes; score keepers, T. J. Down and Dennis Carney; superintendent of muster, F. E. Miller.

The T. W. Lane tub of Manchester, N. H., won the first prize, being one foot, ten inches ahead of the city of Lawrence. The Washingtons of Peabody, Mass., were third, the Watch City of Waltham, fourth, and the Warrens of Pepperell, Mass., fifth.

Summary.

T. W. Lane, Manchester, prize, $150; 267 feet 8½ inches.
City of Lawrence, $75, 265 feet, 10¾ inches.
Washington, Peabody, $50, 197 feet, 8½ inches.
Watch City, Waltham, $25, 195 feet 9½ inches.
Warren, Pepperell, Mass., $10, 192 feet, 5½ inches.
Nashua Vets, Nashua, 189 feet 8½ inches.
Germania, Manchester, N. H., 189 feet, 1½ inches.
Union, West Pepperell, 184 feet, 10½ inches.
City of Lowell, Lowell, 181 feet, 5½ inches.
Carmi, Wilton, N. H., 177 feet 1½ inches.
Uncle Sam, Manchester, N. H., 176 feet, 8½ inches.

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JOHN L. GONE

HIS FRIENDS UNABLE TO LOCATE HIM.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—A good many St. Louis persons, deputy sheriffs among them, are interested in ascertaining the whereabouts of John L. Sullivan, ex-champion pugilist, who cannot be found at his place of business or in his usual haunts.

His saloon partner, John Gillespie, says John L. went off last Saturday when a lot of old friends from Boston "blew in" to Sullivan's place and made merry with him. The fact of Sullivan's disappearance became known yesterday when a deputy sheriff sought to serve him with a subpoena to appear and answer questions as to the number of men living at the rooming house over Gillespie's saloon. Seventy-five men are registered from this number, which is in ward 5, and the grand jury is trying to discover whether all of them live there. A subpoena was also issued for Gillespie, who says more than 75 men live there.

This is the time to buy coal. See Fred H. Bourke, 984 Gorham street.

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REV. R. A. GREENE

ADDRESSED UNIVERSALIST CONFERENCE AT LAWRENCE.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 13.—The Merrimack valley conference of Universalist churches was held in the local church yesterday. Rev. W. R. Libbey of Methuen presiding. Rev. Dr. W. E. Gibbs of this city conducted the morning praise service. The sermon was by Rev. Lewis E. Pease of Nashua, N. H. Dinner was served in the vestry. Rev. W. E. Gaskin of West Derry, N. H., invoking the divine blessing.

In the afternoon addresses were made by Rev. A. C. White of Haverhill, Rev. R. A. Greene of Lowell and Rev. F. W. Perkins of Haverhill. These officers were unanimously elected:

Rev. A. C. White, president; Rev. Lewis E. Pease, vice president; Rev. F. W. Gibbs of Amesbury, secretary and treasurer. It was voted to hold a district rally meeting in Grace church, Lowell, next April. It was voted to invite the Derry, N. H., church to join the conference.

MORE NEW LOOMS

MERRIMACK WOOLEN MILLS IN DRACUT TO ADD FORTY.

The Merrimack woolen mills continue to operate their mill nights. It is reported they are to add 40 new looms. A new steel stack has been built for the boilers. The boiler plant has been somewhat changed. A double horizontal turbine water wheel, made by the James Hunter Machine Co., has been installed. Ralph Black, formerly a machinist has been made master mechanic in place of Mr. Fagan.

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We are showing a big variety of fine suits in Black and Blue and as a result are selling a great quantity of these goods. They are in Cheviots, Thibets, Vicunas and heavy Serges, made both double and single breasted styles, at
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BLUE WORSTED SERGE SUIT, double breasted cut, all wool and fast color, made to sell as a leader at $12, our price $10.00
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